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Rubbish site operator under fire

BY ED LEPOMA

Less than 18 months after Hancock County opened a new rubbish site off Fire Tower Road, the owner plans to kick out the operator.

The dilemma came up Wednesday during a meeting of the county's Regional Solid Waste Authority when Curtis Johnson, who owns the 10-acre site now used for dumping construction debris, appliances, tree limbs and other assorted

rubbish, served notice that he was not pleased with how the facility was being operated or with the compensation he is receiving.

The rubbish site, located two miles west of the intersection of Hwy. 603 and 43 on the road to Picayune, is on a 160-acre tract owned by Johnson, who does business as Mississippi Pumping and Disposal Services, Inc.

After obtaining the proper

permits from the state Department of Environmental Quality, then the Authority's approval, Johnson contracted with Waste Management, Inc., to operate the rubbish site. The agreement allows Hancock County residents to dump free of charge, but there is a slight charge for commercial haulers. Waste Management also charges a gate rate for others who might want to dump from adjoining counties.

Johnson said, in addition to not being pleased with the operations, he had been informed by DEQ that since the permit is in his name, he must operate the site.

However, that statement was contradicted by Michelle Vinson, DEQ's compliance engineer for the Southern District, stationed in Jackson.

"The only thing we sent him was his permit to operate," said Vinson. She said DEQ

knew that Johnson later subcontracted to have the site operated, "but, that was an agreement worked out with his (Johnson's) attorneys and Waste Management's attorneys. We don't have a copy of that agreement," Vinson added.

Bill Warden, chief of DEQ's Office of Pollution Control, said perhaps, Johnson was confused

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Arbor Day celebration

The Bay-Waveland Garden Club will sponsor an Arbor Day celebration on Thursday, Feb. 11 at 2:30 p.m. at the Waveland Library on Coleman Ave.

The celebration will feature the planting of a Live Oak tree, and refreshments will be served.

The public is invited to attend.

Meeting set

The Hancock County Port & Harbor Commission will have their next regular meeting on Monday, Feb. 8, 2 p.m., at their office at 706 Hwy. 90, Waveland.

Stamp to be unveiled

The United States Postal Service through its Commemorative Stamp Program, will celebrate the issuance of the Hospice Care Commemorative Stamp on Tuesday, Feb. 9.

Hospice is a holistic, team-oriented care program that seeks to treat and comfort terminally ill patients and their families, at home or in a home-like setting.

The 33-cent commemorative stamp will be on sale after the dedication ceremony.

For more information about the new stamp, contact Jeff White at 831-5408.

Free tax help

AARP volunteers will be available to assist low to moderate income taxpayers with their 1998 tax returns on Tuesdays and Saturdays, 9:30 a.m. until 1 p.m., Feb. 2 through April 13, at the Hancock County Public Library.

The volunteers will assist taxpayers free of charge.

Power outages discussed

BY BETSY GAGNET AND B.R. HAWKINS

It was an ironic twist that Martin and Mary Blanchard arrived at Tuesday night's Waveland Board of Aldermen meeting ready to explain their plight of power outages at their Waveland home, only to find the City Hall Annex in total darkness due to a lack of power.

Minutes later, the power was restored and Mary Blanchard explained to Mayor Tommy Longo and the board that for almost five years her home, located on Brown Avenue, has experienced "frequent and ongoing power outages and surges."

Blanchard told board members she has repeatedly reported the outages to Mississippi



Colors presented

Members of the U.S. Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 133 Honor Guard of Gulfport presented the colors to open the Hancock County Welcome Center's 20th anniversary celebration on Thursday.

See story and other photos on page 1B of this issue of the Echo. (Echo staff photo by Ellis C. Cuevas)

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Landfill's 'fast track' still faces a few bumps

BY ED LEPOMA

Although opponents are claiming the Hancock County Regional Solid Waste Authority is on a fast track to siting a landfill in the NASA buffer zone, there are still a lot of bumps in the road ahead.

This week the Authority took a first step by scheduling a public hearing March 10 at the Civic Center on proposed amendments to the county's 20-year Solid Waste disposal plan. The amendment that is expected to draw the crowds is a proposal to build a combination rubbish site/landfill on a 700-acre tract located in the NASA buffer zone off Flat Top Road. The initial landfill would take up 70 acres and the rubbish site, another 40 acres.

Before taking that step, Authority Chairman Rocky Pullman sought to feel out other supervisors on the plans to go ahead in the face of strong opposition by Rep. Gene Taylor and over 1,000 residents of the Flat Top Community in Hancock and adjoining Pearl River counties who have already organized, and have threatened court action to block the landfill.

At Monday's meeting of the Board of Supervisors, District 2 Supervisor Rocky Pullman,

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Authority to move meeting to courthouse

BY ED LEPOMA

To accommodate expected large crowds, Hancock County's Regional Solid Waste Authority will hold future meetings in the Superior Courtroom at the downtown courthouse.

Authority Chairman Rocky Pullman said Wednesday that the current meeting room at the Waveland District office off Gulfside Street in Waveland is too small and suggested temporarily changing the venue.

At Wednesday's meeting, Pullman said that the Authority's plan to provide a 700-acre site for a combined rubbish site and landfill would be a "win-win" situation for the county and the community. He said the site would be a "win-win" for the county and the community.

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Beach Blvd. surveyed by x-ray

BY ED LEPOMA

Motorists hardly noticed, but this week Beach Boulevard was x-rayed from Bayou Caddy to Cedar Point.

A panel van crept at a snail's pace (one mile an hour) while ground-penetrating radar scanned the layers of asphalt, first on the side of the street facing the seawall, then the side along sidewalk curbs.

On the front of the van was the logo: "Thermalcan Infrared Inspection Service." While the van crept along the beach road, a driver in a Hancock County truck followed close behind, with back red lights flashing.

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Tercentennial sets events for celebration

BY BETSY GAGNET

Bay St. Louis will celebrate the 300th anniversary of its founding this year and, like other cities along the Coast, special festivities are planned to mark the occasion.

At the center of the Tercentennial Celebration will be the construction of a bronze, life-size statue of Jean Baptiste Le Moyne, Sieur de Bienville, founder of the city. The statue will be placed in the park next to Hancock Bank on Beach Boulevard in Bay St. Louis.

Well underway by artist Mary Ott Davidson, the statue is a joint effort of Leo Seal Jr. and Hancock Bank, the City of Bay St. Louis and the Hancock County Historical Society.

The statue, like the statue of Iberville in Biloxi, will be a permanent monument to the city's founder, said Historical Society President Charles Gray.

"I think of the two statues as sentinels on either end of the Mississippi Sound," Gray added.

An unveiling ceremony is planned for Aug. 25, the feast day of St. Louis.

Gray explained that St. Louis was the King of France who led both expeditions and died during the second one.

"The Bay was named for St. Louis and not for Louis XIV as many people believe," he said, explaining that the Bay of St. Louis was so named because it was explored by Bienville on the feast day of St. Louis.

Commemorative bricks will line the park and may be purchased from the Historical Society for \$50. Each of the 4x8 inch bricks may be inscribed with up to three lines, 14 characters per line including spaces.

Also available through the Historical Society are 15x30 inch granite plaques which sell for \$500. The plaques may be inscribed with up to six lines, 30 characters per line including spaces.

"All engraved bricks and plaques will be in good readable locations and family groupings may be requested," said Gray.

Proceeds from the sale of the bricks and plaques will go

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Four candidates vie for school board post

BY B.R. HAWKINS

Four candidates have qualified in the race to fill an unexpired term on the Bay-Waveland School Board.

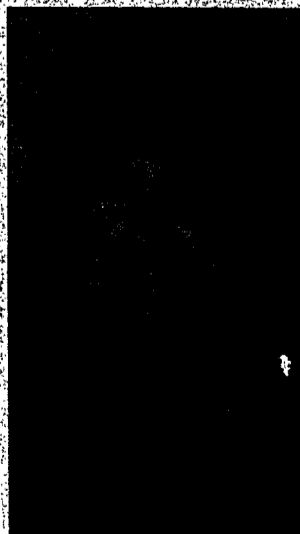
Voters will choose among Clarence Harris, Irene Koskan, Sherry McGinty Ponder and David Turcotte Tuesday, March 6, in a special election to fill the unexpired term of Frank Pernicaro who resigned in November to become Hancock County's attendance officer. Pernicaro's term ends February 2000.

According to the district's charter, a vacancy of the Board is temporarily filled by ap-

pointment until a special election can be scheduled. Bay St. Louis Mayor Eddie Favre appointed Steve Landry in December to fill the vacancy until the March 6 special election is held.

Clarence Harris, 50, of Waveland is hoping his second bid for a school board seat will be successful. Harris, a grounds maintenance technician for Southland Services at Stennis, previously ran unsuccessfully for a seat on the board. He is a member of Macedonia Baptist Church, the

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Koskan



Harris



Ponder



Turcotte

OBITUARIES

LUELIA BRADLEY JAMES L. CLEMONS GORDON R. CULPEPPER PATRICIA H. JONES KENDRA JOY SARVIS MARY ANN STEWART

LUELIA BRADLEY
Mrs. Luelia Bradley, 87, died Thursday, Feb. 4, 1999, in DeLisle.
Arrangements are incomplete at J. T. Hall Funeral Home in Gulfport.

JAMES L. CLEMONS
James L. Clemons, 74, of Bay St. Louis, died Wednesday, Feb. 3, 1999, in Bay St. Louis.

Mr. Clemons was a retired attorney for Chevron. He was also known as "Shorty" and was a native of Cleveland, Miss. He was a naval pilot in World War II. After the war he entered Ole Miss Law School in preparation for a career as Corporate Landman for Chevron. He was an avid golfer and a member of the Mississippi Seniors.

Survivors include his wife, Shirley Clemons of Bay St. Louis; sons Mark of Blessing, Texas and Robert of Madison, Miss.; a daughter, Debbie Rankin of Mendenhall; a brother, Commander W. E. Clemons of Jackson; and six grandchildren.

Services were conducted Saturday at Riemann Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis. Burial will be private at a later date.

The family prefers memorial contributions to the Hancock Medical Center Foundation, Bay St. Louis.

PATRICIA H. JONES

Mrs. Patricia Henderson Jones, 67, of West Monroe, La., died Friday, Feb. 5, 1999, in Glenwood Medical Center.

Mrs. Jones was a native of Hattiesburg and had resided in West Monroe since 1955. She was a member of Fair Park Baptist Church.

She is predeceased in death by

her husband Andrew J. Jones, Jr.

Survivors include two sons, Andrew David Jones and Michael Blaine Jones, both of Arlington, Texas; and two daughters, Marylyn Janet Jones Miller of Crowley, La., and Dana Sue Jones Collie of West Monroe, La.; two sisters, Ruth Crosby of Bay St. Louis and Sue Williamson of Hattiesburg; one brother, Albert Henderson of Petal; and two grandchildren.

Services are at 2 p.m., today, Feb. 7, 1999, at Mulhearn Funeral Home chapel, McMillan Road, West Monroe. Burial will be in Twin Cities Memorial Garden in West Monroe.

GORDON R. CULPEPPER

Gordon R. Culpepper, 66, of Sylvester, Ga., died Wednesday, Feb. 3, 1999.

Mr. Culpepper was born March 27, 1932, in Worth County, Ga., and was the owner of a State Farm Insurance Agency. He was a member of the First Baptist Church where he taught Sunday School for 25 years and had served as the Sunday School Superintendent. He was a member and past president of the Sylvester Lions Club, past governor of the Lions District 18-C and was recognized as a Melvin Jones Fellow by the Lions Club International. He served as District Fundraising Chairman of the Boy Scouts of American and was president of Life Underwriters Association of Georgia.

He was a member of the board of directors of the Worth County-Sylvester Chamber of Commerce and was an area vice-president of the Georgia State Association of Life Underwriters and the state chairman of Life Underwriters Training Council.

Survivors include his wife, Marjorie Stephen Culpepper of Sylvester; two sons, Ret. CPO Gordon R. "Ricky" Culpepper of Pass Christian and Vincent S.

Culpepper, M.D., of Macon, Ga.; a daughter, June Culpepper Bledsoe of Douglasville, Ga.; four brothers, John S. Culpepper and Charles Culpepper, both of Sylvester, and Willie H. Culpepper and Mack Culpepper, both of Poulton, Ga.; four sisters, Ruby C. Chapman of Sumner, Ga., Nancy C. Story of Sylvester, Jane C. Thompson of Poulton and Mary C. Willis of Ty Ty, Ga.; and six grandchildren.

A funeral service was Saturday, Feb. 6, 1999, at the First Baptist Church with burial in Hillcrest Cemetery. Banks Funeral Home in Sylvester was in charge of arrangements.

The family prefers memorials to the First Baptist Church Building Fund, P. O. Box 309, Sylvester, GA 31791.

KENDRA JOY SARVIS

Kendra Joy Sarvis of 226 Rue De Paressa, Tavares, Fla., died Friday, Feb. 5, 1999.

Mrs. Sarvis was a native of Rochester, N.Y., and a resident of Tavares since 1987. She was a bookkeeper for the J. A. Croson Company in Mount Dora, Fla., and a former resident of Pass Christian. She was a member of the Amvets.

Survivors include her husband, Francis Sarvis of Tavares; three daughters, Donna Armstrong, Debra Bebler and Dawn Neacise, all of Pass Christian; three stepdaughters, Tina Moody, Heidi Conway and Shellie Connelly, all of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.; eight grandchildren; and five stepgrandchildren.

Beyers Funeral Home in Leesburg, Fla., is in charge of arrangements.

MARY ANN STEWART

Mary Ann Stewart, 38, of Gulfport died Thursday, Feb. 4, 1999, in Pass Christian.

Miss Stewart was born in Ottawa, Canada, and was a long-time resident of the Gulf Coast. She attended St. John High

School and graduated from Harrison Central High School where she was member of the International Thespian Society, the Speech Club, and was a cheerleader. She was a homemaker and a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Gulfport.

Survivors include her parents, Burlan and Anna Stewart; a son, Anthony Stewart, all of Gulfport and three brothers, Doug Stewart of Pass Christian, Tim Stewart of Vicksburg and Chris Stewart of Gulfport.

A funeral service was at noon, Saturday, Feb. 6, 1999, from St. Joseph Catholic Church. Burial was in Floral Hills Memorial Gardens in Gulfport.

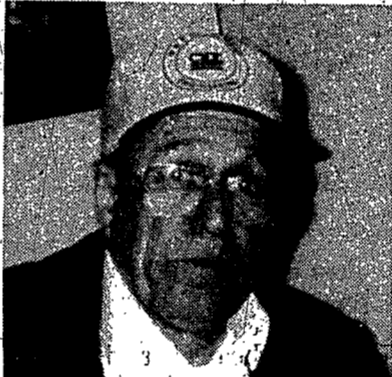
The family prefers that memorials be sent to St. Joseph Catholic Church Building Fund, 12290 Depew Road, Gulfport, MS 39503.

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I love you so, and one day we can embrace with the greatest man I ever knew, who's in a better place.

Written by Amanda
We love and miss you.
Otis II, Peggy Jo, Otis III, Julie, Amanda and Lindy



New Post Office

Pass Christian's new Post Office on Davis Avenue north of the railroad tracks is nearing completion. A spokesman said if the weather cooperates the 14,000-square-foot facility should open between mid March or the end of March. (Echo staff photo by Ed Lepoma)

Watson announces for Hancock sheriff

Bay St. Louis Policeman Don Watson has authorized The Sea Coast Echo to announce his candidacy for Hancock County sheriff in the August Democratic primary.

Watson is in his 25th year of law enforcement and is a 1976 graduate of the Baton Rouge City Police Academy and a 1979 graduate of the LSU Law Enforcement Institute for supervisors.

He was certified by the Mississippi Law Enforcement Training Academy Board of Minimum Standards in 1983 and has taken several in-service training courses during his career.

He has experience in patrol-traffic and water. He has been in a motorcycle division, special services/rescue and intelligence, officer training and supervision. He is cross trained with U.S. Customs for drug interdiction, received SWAT training with both New Orleans and Harahan police departments and was a former field commander with the Hancock County Special Operations Division.

Correction

Kelly Walker of Kiln has qualified as a Democrat to run against incumbent Justice Court Judge Joe Dobson Sr., also a Democrat. The Echo earlier had placed her in the race for Justice Court Judge in the West division.

Watson is currently assigned to the Special Units Division-Community Relations as a juvenile officer with the Bay St. Louis Police Department.

He works with the Hancock County Youth Court in the referral of troubled teens for counseling and/or detention. He teaches safety and crime prevention programs including Neighborhood Watch.

Watson moved to Bay St. Louis in 1963, is married to Rita Blaize and has two children.

He says he believes that with his experience, qualifications and professionalism that he is qualified for sheriff. He wants to improve services to the citizens of Hancock County, especially in the rural areas, and he hopes to restore faith in the Sheriff's Department.



DON WATSON

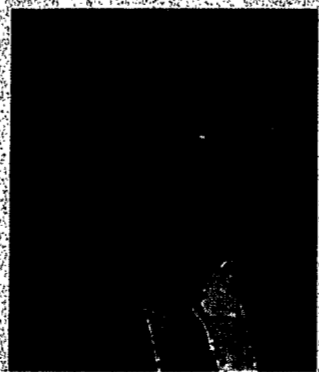
He intends to accomplish this by increasing community policing, raising the standards and salaries of the employees and upgrading the communications system.

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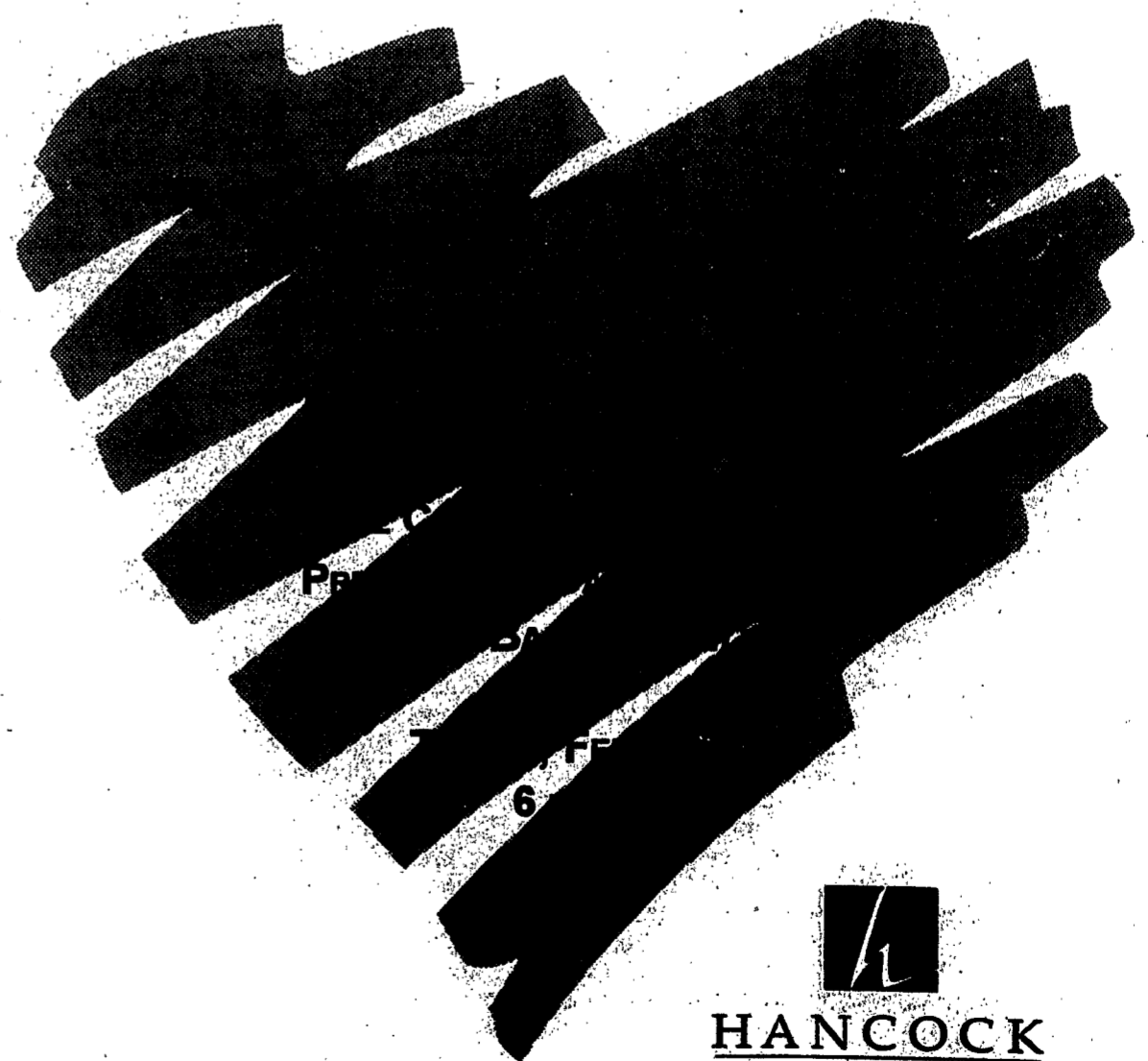
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Odom seeks office of Hancock coroner

Jim Odom has announced his candidacy for Hancock County coroner in the August Democratic primary.

He is a graduate of Picayune Memorial High School. He also attended Gulf Coast Junior College and is a graduate of Elkins Institute of Radio Broadcasting.

Odom is a past certified emergency medical technician and served as assistant coroner/medical examiner of Hancock County for the late Harold Stiglet from 1983 to 1992.

He is past general manager of WXGR Radio. He served as warden/jail administrator for Sheriff Ronald Peterson from 1982 to 1992. In 1993 he was elected to serve as election commissioner for District One and resigned his position in November 1998 to seek the office of coroner.

He served as representative for then Ward One Alderman Tommy Longo on the Waveland

Planning and Zoning Commission. He was building inspector for the City of Waveland from 1995 through 1998, and is presently employed by Mattox Homes as office manager.

Odom is a member and past officer for the Waveland Civic Association, a member of Masonic Lodge 429 Bay St. Louis, a member and past secretary of Hope Chapter Order of Eastern Star, a member of American Legion Post 77 and a member of the Sons of the Legion Post 77.

In his announcement, Odom asks the voters of Hancock County to please consider his qualifications and past public service. While serving in the capacity of assistant coroner/medical examiner he attended many schools and seminars in death investigations and was certified in same from 1983 to 1992 by the State of Mississippi.

He states that during all times he has held positions



JIM ODOM

serving the electors of Hancock County he has always tried to work and serve in a manner to bring respect to the office or position he has held.

"I assure you, the voters of Hancock County, that the office of coroner, should I win, will be run in the same manner.

"You or your loved ones' care will be my main concern. I promise to work closely with local law enforcement departments if they are involved in a death investigation and give them my full cooperation."

Man arrested for forgery in Long Beach

BY B. R. HAWKINS

Police have arrested William Henry Polk, 38, of 205 McGuire Drive, Long Beach, on charges of forgery, according to Lt. Don W. Wolfe of the Long Beach Police Department.

Wolfe said the arrest stems from an investigation conducted by the department led by Detective Sergeant Fred Redding.

Polk was transported to the Harrison County Adult Detention Facility and placed under a \$2,500 bond.

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Beach—X-ray survey

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The scanning was done at the suggestion of District 3 Hancock County Supervisor Lisa Cowand. Supervisors voted to spend almost \$5,300 in Seawall funds to hire the firm out of Baton Rouge, La.

"Bob Huet of Long Beach, a friend of mine, told me about the technology that was available," said Cowand. "And, somebody from Stennis knew how to contact the firm."

The survey was a joint venture between Daran Rehmeier, the owner of Geo-Spec, also in

Baton Rouge, and James E. Davidson, the vice-president of Thermalscan. They have done similar surveys in Kenner, Louisiana, Bay City Michigan, Long Island, and even Brazil helping to find faults are weaknesses in elevated expressways, bridges and other structures.

"We'll get a printout after this," Rehmeier explained. "It will show thickness of the layers of asphalt, and any voids or weakness in the roadway."

Davidson said the read-out will take some time to analyze. "But, I can guarantee you, you'll

know if there are any problems."

Cowand said it would have been time consuming for the county's road engineer to make the 11.2-mile survey. "It would have taken weeks, maybe months," she said.

She predicted the initial investment for the survey "will be well worth it."

She's hoping to present the data to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in order to get more federal funding to protect the seawall and the beach road from further eroding.

Candidates—School board

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Waveland Civic Association and the Hancock County Chapter of the NAACP. He and his wife, Debra, have four children. Kimberly, and twins John and Querita attend Bay-Waveland schools. Roderick, the youngest, is two-years old.

Dr. Irene Koskan, 47, has practiced medicine in the Bay St. Louis area for 18 years. She is married to Dr. Allen J. Koskan. The Koskans' oldest child graduated from Bay High School and currently attends the University of Southern Mississippi in Hattiesburg. Their youngest is a junior at Bay High.

Dr. Sherry McGinity Ponder, 42, who has 20 years of experience in public education as a

teacher and an administrator, has served as Federal Programs director and Special Services director for the Bay-Waveland School District. She presently teaches special education in the Biloxi School District. She is the wife of Randy Ponder, general manager of The Sea Coast Echo. They have three children: Ashley, a junior at Bay High; Jace, an eighth-grader, and three-year-old, Patrick.

David Turcotte, 40, previously served as a school board member from 1992 until his

term expired in 1997 and is a 20-year resident of Waveland and a lifelong resident of Hancock County. He has worked for Mississippi Power Company for 17 years in the fleet services department where he is shop leader.

Turcotte and his wife Mary E. have five children: Jeremy and his wife attend colleges in Hattiesburg; Katie, Teddy and Logan are enrolled at Bay Middle School, and Lauren is a third-grader at Waveland Elementary School.

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Redbuds have clusters of rosy pink flowers in spring and dark green summer leaves turning to yellow in the fall.

The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting between March 1 and May 31 with enclosed planting instructions. The six- to 12-inch trees are guaranteed to grow, or they will be replaced free of charge.

To become a member of the Foundation and to receive the free trees, send a \$10 contribution to Ten Free Dogwood Trees, National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Avenue, Nebraska City, NE 68410, by Feb. 28.

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"CUEVAS" QUOTES

By Ellis C. Cuevas

The Krewe of Nereids is scheduled to roll at 1 p.m. today along Highway 90 in the Waveland-Bay St. Louis area.

This year's theme is *City Sounds* as it explores the Latin Soul of Miami, the blue notes of Memphis, the tones of New York, the snappy, sassy jazz of Chicago, the high energy disco of San Francisco, and other musical personalities of American cities.

This will mark the 32nd year for the ladies' Krewe of Nereids, which is followed by the Krewe of Eros and Krewe of Hancock.

All together in the parade there will be over 100 units in the largest parade of the year for Hancock County.

The parade forms at Choctaw Plaza Shopping Center in Waveland then travels U.S. 90 East to Bouslog and west on 90 to Waveland Avenue where it disbands.

Royalties for the parade are Queen Doris XXXIII, whose identity is always secret, and her royal consort, King Nereus XXXIII, Henry Martinez.

We hope to see you at the parade this afternoon.

We still have several other Mardi Gras parades, such as Bay Catholic School's Kindergarten on Friday, Feb. 12 at 12:30 p.m.; the Krewe of Diamondhead on Saturday, February 13; St. Paul's Carnival, Pass Christian, on Sunday, Feb. 14, and on Mardi Gras Day, the Krewe of Real People in Bay St. Louis.

We will be giving you more parade information in issues to come.

Good to see the Hancock County School District's board look at the possibility of using uniforms.

This appears to be a trend for many schools, even those in neighboring counties.

This is not something new, as many private schools have been using uniforms for years and years.

I have been told it helps parents in reducing the cost of clothing for students, and this helps when a family has three or four students in school.

It will be interesting to see how this issue develops.



FROM THE MISSISSIPPI SENATE

By State Senator
Scottie Cuevas

School safety, senior health-care top Senate floor debate

More than 200 bills were approved by Senate committees last week and face a Feb. 11 deadline for consideration by the full Senate.

Two bills dealing with student expulsion topped floor debate late in the week. SB 2404 dealt primarily with expanding school board authority to expel any student deemed as posing a threat off campus.

SB 3043 also addressed the same expulsion issue, but included numerous other business and operational features relating to school districts.

The Mississippi Student Achievement Improvement Act of 1999 — SB 2156 — also was passed to address statewide concerns about standards for student promotion and graduation, changes for troubled districts operated by a conservator, financial incentives for school improvements and other matters.

Included in the bill is a provision to allow a student's transfer to a higher-accredited district if that student's parent or guardian owns property in both districts.

Procedural motions kept the bills from moving on to the House.

The Senate's concern for the elderly's long-term health care was addressed Thursday with passage of SB 2679, which provides a comprehensive approach. The bill would provide Medicaid pre-admission screening to assure choice of appropriate care; an increase in home/community-based services; and more Medicaid-eligible and private-pay nursing home beds statewide.

The Senate reaffirmed its commitment to expanding health-care services to children whose working families cannot afford insurance.

SB 2543 extends the program to children whose families are at 150 percent of the poverty level.

SB 2496 would allow development of a new cancer center in Meridian and SB 2500 would

create a health center program to expand services to persons described as "the working poor."

Among other bills winning approval by the full Senate were:

— SB 2597 to suspend the driver's license of someone who intentionally fails to pay for gasoline at a gas station;

— SB 2418 to extend to 24 months the length of time a landowner can file a legal complaint against someone who cuts timber without permission;

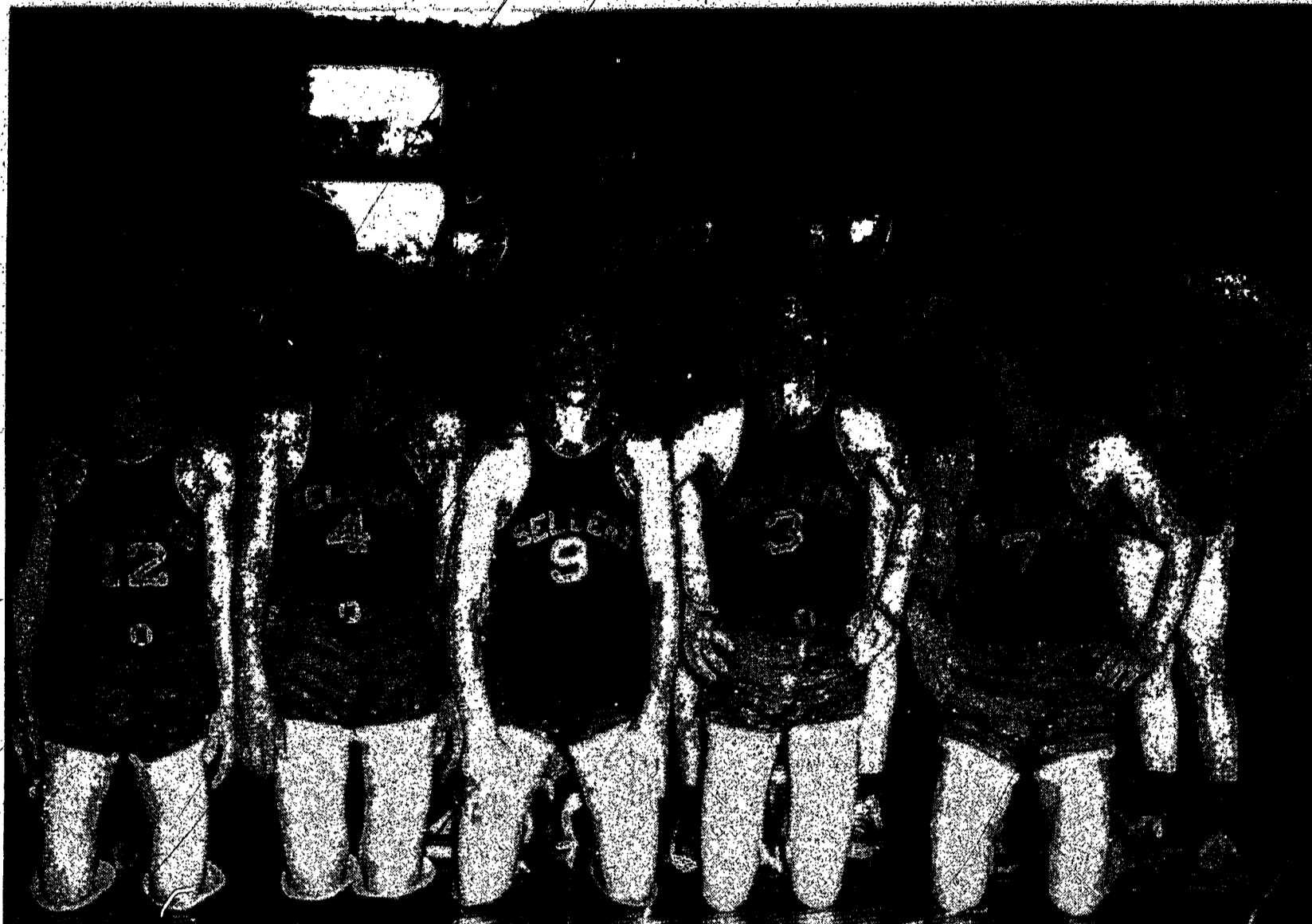
— SB 2434 to increase home-leave days paid for Medicaid-funded residents of nursing homes and facilities for the mentally retarded. Nursing-home leave days were increased from 36 to 52 days and for the mentally retarded from 36 to 84 days;

— SB 2054 to exempt non-profit agencies from car tags for vehicles used primarily to transport children for medical treatment; and

Topping action by the Education Committee was approval of SB 2618 to create a task force to study how the state could develop a pre-kindergarten program. The bill would establish a task force to study the issues and report recommendations to the 2000 Legislative Session.

Among other education-related bills approved in committee were SB 2121 to authorize a school program for character education; SB 2157, authority for school districts to compensate experienced teachers who mentor beginning teachers; and SB 3025 to allow the State Department of Education to develop a model for conflict resolution by student peers.

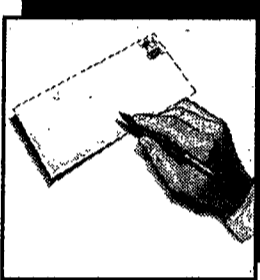
Mandatory automobile liability insurance could become law if the Legislature passes SB 2039, approved by the Insurance Committee. The measure raises minimums on coverage for bodily injury and property damage, as well as sets a system of fines for not having coverage.



Sellers High

It was always a battle as to whether Sellers High, Dedeaux High, or Kiln Consolidated High would be Hancock County's top county school in basketball. The three schools were consolidated in the late 1950's to Hancock North Central in north Hancock County. Hancock North Central is now Hancock High near the Stennis International Airport. Members of the 1948 Sellers squad are, bottom row from left, Monroe Shaw, Bill Shaw, Willie Ladner Jr.,

Eugene Ladner and Roland Ladner; and standing back center is basketball coach Arthur F. Necaise. Top row from left shows Tommy Shaw, Denford Ladner, Eris Peterson, Haskel Williams and Sam Rester. (Photo courtesy of Jack Shaw, who reports that Monroe Shaw, Willie Ladner Jr., and Sam Rester are deceased). The Echo welcomes photos older than 25 years for publication. They will be returned to their owners.



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Mother upset about young child receiving detention

To the Editor:

I am disgusted with the Hancock County School District. This is a serious issue for many parents.

I was very upset when a letter was sent home stating that my child must attend detention, because she's had four tardies.

She's only in kindergarten and doesn't understand what she's being punished for. She did nothing to deserve this treatment.

I feel this is a form of child abuse. The mornings she was late,

was due to illness. My child is being punished for trying to go to school, even though she didn't feel good those days.

I feel that children should be commended for wanting to go to school. I don't understand how children can be treated like this.

I hope you will print this letter, as we have to stand up for our children.

Thank you,
Darlene Walley
Ansley

Resident pleased with county response to litter in area

To the Editor:

My wife and I are residents of the Choctaw Oaks Subdivision off Harbor Drive in Hancock County. We have been distressed over the years because of the amount of litter and household appliances, furniture and that sort of thing that has been discarded up and down Harbor Drive.

My wife and I have made a part-time vocation of picking up in our area and have actually removed pickup loads of trash from the roads.

My wife recently became quite upset over the condition of Harbor Drive, and she called Road Superintendent Tommy Moran and also talked with Ro-

ger Ladner.

Those gentlemen came out and looked at the problem, and within a matter of a week the area was cleaned of litter and looks absolutely marvelous.

I want to extend our appreciation to these gentlemen for responding to a rather irritating request. We appreciate them taking care of the problem. We will continue to do more than our part to try to keep the area picked up. We do appreciate your response and thank you for the work you do.

Sincerely,
R. A. Graham, M.D.
Choctaw Oaks Subdivision
Hancock County



FROM THE MISSISSIPPI HOUSE

By Representative
J.P. Compretta

House of Representatives considers more than 100 bills

Members of the House of Representatives considered more than 100 bills during the fifth week of the 1999 legislative session.

The week brought the first major deadline of the 90-day session, as House members scrambled to meet a Feb. 2 deadline to take action on bills and constitutional amendments that originated in House committees.

With the passing of the deadline, numerous pieces of legislation remained "alive" for further consideration, while still others were declared "dead" as far as the 1999 session is concerned.

Among the issues remaining under consideration or that have moved on to the Senate for consideration were those dealing with expansion of nursing home beds across the state, pay raises for school teachers and state employees, authorization of a fourth round of providing fire trucks to rural communities, expansion of the Children's Health Insurance Program and creation of a trust fund for the state's \$4 billion settlement with the national tobacco industry.

Still others remaining under consideration or that have moved to the Senate for consideration at week's end were those dealing with tighter regulation of the charity bingo industry, withholding payments for gaming winners who owe delinquent child support, more training for jailers, establishment of the Mississippi School of Fine Arts for artistically-gifted students, suspension or expulsion of unruly students in classrooms, implementation of legislation to protect Mississippi's wild and scenic rivers and creation of the State Office of Post-conviction Relief to provide Death Row inmates with adequate legal counsel, a move that some say will ultimately speed up the carrying out of death sentences.

Once House members were finished with action in committees for legislation that originated in the House, it was time to move on to floor action where some of the same bills were voted up or down and sent on to the State Senate for consideration.

In turn, the Senate will be sending to the House the bills that survived action in the Senate's committees.

In some of the floor action, the full House during the week approved bills that would:

— Create a fund to provide a death benefit when a law enforcement officer is killed in the line of duty; Mississippi averages almost five law enforcement deaths a year.

Initial plans are to start the fund with \$500,000, with an expansion later.

— Authorize payment of counties that hold prisoners for the state Department of Corrections. Some county jails have held state prisoners for years as the Department of Corrections scrambled to either build or contract for new prisons to hold the ever-growing inmate population.

— Allow the creation of business improvement districts if 60 percent of the business owners within the proposed area approve of the plan. Under an existing law, the threshold is 70 percent.

— Allow intervention by the State Department of Health if there are three occasions within a school year of a student found with head lice.

— Increase amounts of court-ordered child support judgments by 5 percent in a variety of case types.

Much of the legislation approved by the House during the week consisted of technical adjustments to existing state law or extended the operation authority of some state agencies, commissions or boards.

Examples include the re-nactment of the Statewide Grand Jury which is said to have made hundreds of investigations; extension of the Highway Safety Patrol's basic operations; and extension of the State Board of Animal Health's operations.

Other bills passed by the House would:

— continue the House Arrest Program for state prisoners. About 800 inmates are enrolled in the program;

— authorize prison trustees to accumulate additional earned time by participating in prison work programs;

— permit out-of-state funeral directors to conduct funerals in Mississippi if their state reciprocates with Mississippi;

— require high school juniors and seniors to study money management skills;

— require continuing education for insurance agents;

— require licensing of fire protection/sprinkler contractors;

— extend dyslexia testing pilot programs;

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Educational Partners announce essay contest

To encourage students to begin career exploration early and consider continuing their education beyond high school, several Mississippi educational partners are sponsoring a poster and essay contest for youth across the state.

Sponsored by the Mississippi Department of Education, the Institutions of Higher Learning, the State Board for Community and Junior Colleges, the Mississippi Private School Association, BellSouth and BellSouth Pioneers, the primary goal of the contest is to help students recognize the role a college education can play in helping them achieve their personal and professional goals.

"We are excited about partnering with other educational groups and the business community to heighten students'

awareness of the opportunities available to them through higher education in Mississippi," said Dr. Thomas D. Layzell, commissioner of higher education.

Kelly Allgood, state president of Bell South, said "showing even one child what he or she can accomplish through education" is what makes collaborative efforts such as the contest worthwhile.

The poster contest is open to public, private and home school students in grades one through five with a theme of "What I Can Be With A College Degree."

Students may use ink, pencil, paper or computer-generated art as well as mixed media. Size of the poster must be no smaller than 22 x 22 inches and no larger than 22 x 28 inches.

The essay contest — with the

theme of "With A College Education, I Can Be Anything I Want" — is open to public, private and home school students in grades six through 12. Essays should be submitted on 8 1/2 x 11 inch paper and be no longer than 500 words. Typing is encouraged, but not mandatory. Typed entries should be double-spaced.

First, second and third place winners will be chosen for each grade for both the poster and essay contest. The first place winner will receive a \$500 U.S. savings bond, second place a \$350 savings bond and the third place winner a \$200 savings bond. In addition, an overall winner will be chosen from all first place winners to receive an additional \$500 savings bond.

A 3 x 5 inch card with the following information must be at-

tached to the back of each entry: name of student, home address, grade, social security number, school name or home school, school address, school phone number and the name of the teacher involved.

Entries should be mailed to: Malinda Prather, BellSouth, 740 Landmark Center, P.O. Box 811, Jackson, MS 39205.

Both poster and essay entries must be postmarked by March 1. Winners will be announced in April.

Questions about the contest should be directed to Malinda Prather at (601) 961-2360. Information about the contest may also be found at the following web sites: <http://www.ihl.state.ms.us>, <http://www.sbcjc.cc.ms.us> or <http://www.mdek12.state.ms.us> or <http://www.mpsa.org>.

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Hancock North Central Elementary School's Terrific Kids in kindergarten include, front from left, Oneal Cuevas, Courtney Jassby, Heather Jordan, Jordan Hoda, Jade Johnston, Matthew Darkow and Kim Ladner; middle row, Jeremy Cooper, Allen Deschamps, Wil Adamec, Jessica Magnusen, Anthony Jordan, Clint Moran and Megan Sullivan; back row, Mariah Kellar, Justin Whitney, Sarah Smith, Kayla Johnston, Alex Lalejini, Jake Moran and Cody Shrewsbury. Not pictured is Chelsea Ladner.



Terrific first graders

First grade Terrific Kids from Hancock North Central Elementary School include, front row from left, Jonathan Stevens, Patrick Davis, Annette Clingan, Renee Lee, Shelley Husband and Nikki Wild; middle row, Teri Lara, Kathy Flynn, Heather Hester, Devin Breazeale Mendoza, Scott Hall and Cody Mitchell; back row, Brittney Dykes, Lauren Stealey, Brittney Eakins, Courtney Beech, Hannah Seal and Erica Hall. Not pictured are Sara Miller and Donny Leggett.

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Allstar manager

Bay High head football coach, David Baughman, left, congratulates team manager, Jamie Favre, on being selected a manager for the Mississippi Alabama Allstar Games scheduled June 19. Jamie is the son of Eddie and Terri Favre. (Echo staff photo by B. R. Hawkins)

Bay council takes a look at fastpitch softball support

BY MARY G. SEILEY

Bay St. Louis officials were faced with some two dozen upset citizens Tuesday night, when backers of the local Girls Little League Softball Association demanded some assurances about their future.

City Council heard concerns that municipal officials have opened the door to allowing a potentially devastating, competing group to set up on Bay St. Louis facilities. And council was told that the existing league was, in effect, being punished financially for having been so successful this past year.

At issue is a movement by some local baseball fans to set up an "ASA" baseball league for girls, either a slow-pitch organization or a fast-pitch group. The contention that led to Tuesday's turnout before City Council apparently has been brewing and building steam for quite a while.

Representatives of the existing Little League organization told council they had some 450 girls participate in their program last season, ranging in age from five to 18. Parents spent hundreds of hours and thousands of dollars to support the program council was told, and the organization has built momentum that can only be damaged by a competing group which would siphon off its participants, parents and financial support.

The Little League group has received financial contributions from the city in past years, and it uses McDonald Field as its base. City crews maintain the field and have made improvements to the facility, in addition to buying the tract from private ownership several years ago.

But Mayor Eddie Favre said no city funds were channeled directly to the Little League group this year because it apparently is a financial success. The group began fiscal 1997 with \$800 and ended it with \$9,000, council was told.

Meanwhile, city recreation director Gus McKay attended a recent meeting of citizens who want to begin an ASA league. His mere attendance at that meeting offended Little League backers, who see the new organization as a threat, council was told.

District 1 council member Carleen Moran said she was "offended to learn that McKay was 'lambasted, cursed at and hollered at' by Little League backers during that meeting."

McKay said Tuesday he's gone to extremes to have city crews accommodate the needs of the Little League program.

But, he also said, citizens who want to start another baseball organization should have the opportunity to do so if there's enough interest to support it. That will be evident by registration numbers, McKay said.

Meanwhile, city officials sought to assure the audience that there are sufficient city facilities to accommodate games by more than one baseball organization.

They also said the city is not likely to put up funding for any new sports group this year, due to the stress of capital improvement projects the city has in progress at this time.

Mayor Eddie Favre said the goal of the city is to have all sports activity groups be self sufficient, although some activities, such as a new football program, have required city help for equipment and startup costs.

Council members were obviously well aware of the simmering controversy and of related disputes that have boiled over in the baseball-fan segment of the city.

One controversy concerned a trip to Florida that the Little League organization sponsored for 20 of the participating girls.

District 3 council member Connie Lampley noted that none of those chosen for the trip were black. She questioned the criteria for the selection of participants. When Little League officials said they had considered what attitude the participants displayed -- which children might cause disruption on the trip -- Lampley became even more angered, saying Little League backers must have assumed that blacks would be disruptive.

She backed off some, however, when told that black children had been chosen to go on the trip, but were unable to attend.

Part of the controversy concerns a lack of a "slow pitch" ball game for area girls, some of whom are fearful of the more aggressive "fast pitch" league. The Little League backers said they mainly feared an ASA competing group that would draw fast pitch participants from their ranks.

In addition, the Little League group said ASA utilizes a more "selective" usage of players, pulling more talented youths into games and shuffling off average performers. That approach, council was told, hurts the feelings of many participants.

Favre and council members, however, said they would not stand in the way of a fast or slow pitch organization which proves it has a feasible, viable organization to accommodate. Favre said many of the city's ball fields stand idle most

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Feb. 14, 7 p.m., The Wilkins, \$12

Feb. 15, 7:30 p.m., Ty Herndon, \$12
Feb. 16, 7:30 p.m., Kenny Chesney, \$12

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Third annual intercollegiate golf tournament slated

The third annual Bridges All-American Intercollegiate Invitational, a collaborative effort between the University of Southern Mississippi and The Bridges Golf Resort at Casino Magic, is set for Feb. 7-9.

The public is invited to participate in the college-am on Sunday, Feb. 7 at 12:30 p.m.

There will be 21 five-man teams with one collegiate golfer and four amateurs. Teams are being accepted now, but space is limited. Entry is \$125 per person of \$500 a team.

"We are delighted to host one of the most outstanding college golf tournaments in the country in collaboration with USM," said Joe Billhimer, general manager of Casino Magic Bay St. Louis.

Registered teams include Arkansas State University, Florida State University, Georgia State University, Wichita State University, Louisiana State University, Memphis University, Middle Tennessee State University, University of Minnesota, North Carolina State University, University of South Alabama, University of South Florida, Southeastern Louisiana University, University of Southwestern Louisiana, Tulane University, University of Alabama-Birmingham, University of Wyoming, and the host school, University of Southern Mississippi.

of the time, and the city is able to host more than one organization.

He also suggested that baseball backers seek financial support from Hancock County, Waveland and Pass Christian, since about a fourth of the participants in the local program are from outside the city limits. Or, he said, the organization should charge an extra fee for those participants who do not reside in Bay St. Louis.

In other matters Tuesday, council:

—Agreed that the Ulman Street Pier construction project was "substantially completed" as of Dec. 4. That's the date that the city will use to stop assessing liquidated damages against the contractor for not finishing the structure on time. The contractor still has to complete a "punch list" of minor items to satisfy the city, however, or face further liquidated damage deductions.

—Agreed to apply for funds to build a walking track around the former city lagoon on Webb Street, the depot or senior citizens complex. When told that the city needed to demonstrate it's informed the public of the plan, baseball fans who had left the meeting and were talking outside City Hall were called back into the meeting. They were asked to sign a sheet of paper showing that they had been briefed on the plan.

—Set a workshop meeting for Tuesday, at 7 p.m., to discuss future land use mapping for the city. Council members have been crafting a detailed map of proposed land uses, or zoning designations, that will be used as a guide when a new zoning ordinance is considered. While the land use map doesn't carry the legal weight of a zoning map, it is supposed to be the basis of zoning in the future.

Several renditions of such a map have been drawn up and circulated among council members in recent weeks for changes, on a district-by-district basis. Council president Tad Black said Tuesday the latest map that was made available to council contained certain errors that have to be corrected.

Pass Isles announces golf results

Pass Christian Isles Ladies Golf Association announces Jan. 26 Even Holes results:

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Coaches Joe Shaw and David Baughmann, standing from left, of Bay High School watch as three of their starting seniors from the Tigers football team sign scholarships to colleges. Seated from left, Michael Shaw, son of Joe and Beth Shaw and a four-year defensive letterman and for Bay High, intends to attend Perkinson Community College; Tony Benton, 5'8" offensive standout, and the nephew of Evelyn Benton of Waveland has signed to attend Pearl River Community College; and Thomas Beebe, an offensive tackle and son of Sandra Beebe, plans to attend Perkinson Community College. (Echo staff photo by B. R. Hawkins)

The wood duck

By James L. Cummins Jr.

Wee-e-e-e-k, wee-e-e-e-k. Anyone who has spent much time around a beaver pond or a slough is quite familiar with the call of the hen wood duck. No other duck has a call that is quite as distinctive. The drake wood duck is one of the most beautiful ducks in Mississippi.

In the early 1900's, wood ducks almost became extinct due to unregulated market hunting for their meat and feathers, and also due to destruction of nesting and brood habitat as bottomland hardwood forests were cleared and drained.

Thanks to the passage of the Migratory Bird Treaty Act in 1918, and discovery of the wood duck box, the wood duck is now one of the most abundant duck species in the United States.

Wood ducks are small ducks, weighing from 1-1.5 pounds. The male has beautiful long green feathers on its crest, a large bright red eye and a short red bill with a black tip.

The features of the wings and body are composed of a variety of colors and patterns. The female is predominantly a dull gray color, with a characteristic tear-shaped white streak around the eye.

Woodies can be observed in a variety of habitats, but prefer wooded sloughs, creeks and beaver swamps. Their small size and broad wings and tail make them quite adept at twisting and turning as they fly through trees. Many of the Magnolia State's wood ducks are non-migratory and live here

throughout the year. Mississippi has one of the densest populations of breeding wood ducks in North America. Wood ducks are cavity nesting birds... hens naturally nest in cavities in trees.

A hen and a drake will pair off on the wintering grounds to breed. In Mississippi, hens have been observed initiating nests as early as the second week of January; however, most nesting begins in March and April.

Weather has a great influence on when nesting begins in the spring, and how late hens will continue to nest in the summer. During a cool summer, hens will nest into July and early August.

A hen will search out a suitable nest cavity in a tree or nest box. She will dig a shallow depression in the bottom sawdust and will lay one egg per day until she has laid around 12-15 eggs.

Once the clutch has been laid, the hen will set on the nest for 28-30 days, leaving only for a short time each morning and evening to feed. Once the eggs hatch, the hen leaves the nest and softly calls her ducklings out of the nest from the ground or water below.

The incubation period is especially stressful for hens. Predators destroy many nests and hens at this time. Raccoons, bobcats, snakes and woodpeckers are particularly troublesome.

Dump nesting (when more than one hen contributes eggs to a nest) causes many nests to fail, especially in a wood duck box. Because of the large num-



bers of eggs in a dump nest, some eggs do not receive sufficient heat for incubation. However, some dump nests do successfully hatch and can provide extra ducklings to the population.

James L. Cummins Jr. is executive director of the Mississippi Fish and Wildlife Foundation in Stoneville, Miss. Known as "Wildlife Mississippi," the foundation is a non-profit, conservation organization founded to conserve, restore and enhance fish, wildlife and plant resources throughout Mississippi.

Diamondhead Women's Golf winners announced

Winners of the Diamondhead Women's Golf Association Jan. 28 Scramble Tournament are:

First place: Mary Clare Skaggs, Bobbie Saucier, E. J. Smith and Jo Ann Smith

Second place: Paulne Haas, Mary Ann Manchester, Kathy Crouch and Sharline Lowery

Third place: Ruth O'Neal, Carol Begley, Delma Eroe and Gloria Landry

Fourth place: Rite Durham, Becky Jordan, Barbara Watkins and Emilie Abell

Winners of the Diamondhead Women's Golf Association Jan. 21 are:

Championship flight: first, Audrey Ramirez; second, Peggy Knapp; third, Nancy Seaton

First flight: first, Lesley White; second, Elizabeth Lake; third, Marion Boudreaux

Second flight: first, Cal Rogers, Beverly Bruce, third, Dot Morrison

Third flight: first, Sharlene Lowery, Marge Weber, Alberta Alley

'Test and Tune' set at speedway

Sun Coast Speedway will open for "Test and Tune" sessions each Saturday in February beginning on the 6th and continuing each Saturday.

The gates will open at 10 a.m. allowing drivers to practice and tune their cars in preparation for the opening of the '99 racing season.

Admission will be \$5 for adults, kids 12 and under are free.

The '99 season will start March 6 and continue through October. Classes will include Late Models, Pro Stock, IMCA, Stret Stock and Rookies.

The Cajun Sprints are also scheduled to start in April. The track is located on I-10 at Exit 24, Minge Avenue, Pass Christian.

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Understand your IRA choices

(Editor's note: First of two articles on IRAs.)

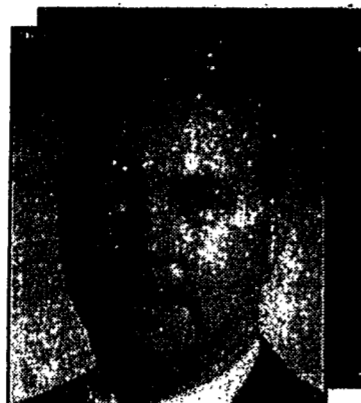
We've come a long way from the days when Henry Ford said you could order his Model T in any color you wanted — as long as it was black.

Today's Americans want choices, and that's just what they're getting for retirement planning. With Roth IRAs and improved traditional IRAs, there's something for just about everyone.

Any working American under age 70-1/2 can contribute up to \$2,000 per year to a traditional IRA. Americans of any age can contribute to Roth IRAs as long as their annual income is less than \$95,000 (\$150,000 for couples). You can have either or both types of IRAs, but the total contribution per individual cannot exceed \$2,000 per year.

The main difference between Roth and traditional IRAs is when you pay your taxes — now or later. Roth IRA contributions are included in your taxable income each year, but that money grows tax-free, and withdrawals are tax-free under certain conditions. (We'll discuss the Roth IRA in more detail next week.)

The traditional IRA, on the other hand, allows many peo-



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ple to take a tax deduction today, deferring taxes until they withdraw the money in the future. You can deduct your full IRA contribution (up to \$2,000) from your taxable income each year if you're not covered by an employer-sponsored retirement plan. People who are covered by employer-sponsored retirement plans can still deduct all or part of their IRA contributions if their income falls within certain limits.

Some younger workers shy away from IRAs, fearing their money will be untouchable until retirement. It's true, withdrawals before age 59-1/2 are subject to a penalty on top of taxes, but penalty-free distributions are allowed for special needs: qualified college expenses, a first home pur-

chase (up to \$10,000), disability or death.

All IRA contributions grow free of taxes until you begin taking distributions. Being able to reinvest your earnings each year without having to pay taxes on them can add a powerful boost to your retirement nest egg.

For example, assume Mr. and Mrs. Anderson each contribute \$2,000 to their IRAs for 20 years. If their \$4,000 annual investment earned a 10 percent return, their account balance after 20 years would be \$229,100. If the Andersons put that money in a taxable investment earning the same 10 percent and paid taxes at 28 percent each year, they would only have \$120,677 for retirement.

Clearly, IRAs are a terrific way to save for retirement.

With all these options, there's no reason for anyone dreaming of a comfortable future not to have an IRA.



CONSUMER UPDATE

By Jan Lukens, MBA, CFP
Consumer Money Management Specialist

High school personal finance curriculum planned for state

Q. We have been saving for our kids' college education using U.S. Savings Bonds. The bonds are in our names, not the kids' names. We would like to use the Savings Bonds to buy into the state tuition program—MPACT.

A. If we cash in our bonds to contribute to MPACT, will the bonds be taxable or will we be able to exclude the interest as if we were paying current college tuition?

A. You can exclude the interest on qualifying bonds. Beginning in 1998, a qualified state tuition plan is counted as a qualified higher education expense.

For the bonds to be qualified, they must be Series EE U.S. Savings Bonds issued AFTER 1989. Bonds must be in your name or in both spouses' names as co-owners. You must have been at least 24 years old before the bond's issue date.

Use IRS publication 550 to

figure exactly how much interest you can exclude.

I never had a personal finance class in high school. In college, I took a course as an elective. But I learned most of my money management skills from my parents and trial-and-error. I was lucky that my parents were good teachers.

When I talk to groups about money management, I like to ask how many in the audience had a personal finance class in school. Invariably, less than 10 percent of any group took such a class in high school or college.

All this may change if the Mississippi Legislature passes House Bill 820 during the 1999 session. The bill directs the State Board of Education to develop objectives for high school students that teach money management. Some of the specific skills to be taught are how to choose and handle a bank account, how to manage consumer

credit and personal debt, consumer rights, basics of insurance, investments and inheritances.

Those who took a "home economics" class know there is nothing new about the course work being proposed. What promises to be new is that more children will be exposed to this information that is so critical to their well-being. Ideally, the curriculum will be incorporated into required high school course.

Kids are targeted by advertising by the time they are two. By four, many are fully indoctrinated into a conspicuous consumption, immediate gratification mentality. I work to instill a value system that discourages materialism.

Some days I'm really proud of my kids. Other days I fight a losing battle. My nine-year-old and four-year-old are easily conditioned to search for the golden arches, beg for Disney trips, shop for the latest dolls, clothes, toys and games.

This legislation helps expose children to a bigger picture for their money. They'll learn that money can do a lot more than buy the latest fashion or hottest new CD. And they'll learn before they find themselves deep in debt or their marriage stressed to the limit by financial problems.

Where did you learn how to manage money? If it wasn't in school, I hope your parents were good teachers.

USM to sponsor legal workshops

The University of Southern Mississippi Small Business Development Center is offering a workshop, "Employees — What's Legal, What's Not?" Tuesday, Feb. 23, 6-8 p.m. at the Gulf Coast Business Services Corporation, 330 Court-house Road, Gulfport.

The workshop focuses on the U.S. Department of Labor rules and regulations regarding employees — overtime, minimum wage, child labor laws, recording hours worked, salary vs. hourly employees, and more.

The Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA) will also be discussed. The instructor will be Jack Cavanaugh of the U.S. Department of Labor and Patricia Craft of Gulf Coast Business Services Corporation.

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Burke earns certification

Cecilia Burke, BSN, recently earned certification by the Board of Infection Control and Epidemiology, Inc. The designation is given to infection control professionals meeting educational and practice requirements.

Successful completion of the certification examination ensures competency in current knowledge in infection control practices. The board encourages professionalism, individual growth and study among members.

Burke, a 19-year employee of Hancock Medical Center, supervises the hospital's education, infection control, and employee health departments. She has a master's degree in adult education from the University of Southern Mississippi, where she is completing a doctoral dissertation in adult education.

Mississippi Nurses Association District V nominated her for Educator of the Year, Category Two in 1998. She previously served as president of Southeast Association of Practitioners in Infection Control and Epidemiology, Inc., and helped spearhead a statewide meeting and seminar for infection control professionals. She is a past president of Gulf Coast Continuing Education Inc.

Burke resides in Long Beach with her husband Travis and sons Patrick and Nicholas.

Con-Tech awarded contracts

Con-Tech Automation & Control Inc. has been awarded two major contracts from Entergy Corporation.

Entergy's Pattison Plant in New Orleans has been mothballed for the past 10 years and is slated for re-commissioning in March of this year.

Con-Tech Automation has been awarded a contract to retro-fit and commission the Emissions Monitoring System and a contract for Instrumentation Coordination.

Don Hebert, senior project manager, will be joining the start-up team at Entergy's Pattison Plant in New Orleans. His responsibilities will be to coordinate all instrumentation calibration and commissioning procedures. His duties will also include coordination of the Distribute Control System in respect to instrumentation.

Denis Breaud, vice president, will be working with Hebert to retro-fit and commission the Emissions Monitoring System. The EMS is required by the EPA and DEQ to regulate and monitor plant emissions into the atmosphere.



Chamber After Hours

Bay St. Louis Councilman James Thriffley, left, and Conrad Mauffray, along with more than 100 people, attended the January Chamber After Hours hosted by Coast Electric Power Association. Of special interest was the Beautification Committee's display on the Gateway Project. For information on this project or any of the activities of the Hancock Chamber of Commerce, call Amy Gregory, executive director, at 467-9048.

Pearl River College Career Fair will put employers, potential employees face to face

More than 100 companies and some 1,000 students will take part in the second annual Pearl River Community College Career Fair set for the PRCC Technology Center Feb. 23.

Dr. Ann Moore, PRCC placement director for vocational and technical students, was very successful in putting trained workers and employee-hungry companies together last year.

"Some of our students were hired on the spot," said Moore, who has lined up even more employers for this year's event. Moore has invited more than 500 companies from the region.

"Company representatives will provide literature, videos and opportunities," said Moore. "We (PRCC) will provide hundreds of enthusiastic, well-trained, soon-to-be members of the workforce."

The Career Fair is also open to academic students on campus. Academic students will have the same opportunity to talk with people in their respective field to find out about salary, benefits and hiring conditions when they graduate two and three years down the road.

Moore admitted that very few people are hired at the Career Fair, but it is an ideal time to give prospective companies a resume, fill out applications and start a network of contacts for future employment.

"Pearl River has an excellent reputation within the work place," said Moore. "Businesses are well aware of our quality in-

structors and they know our graduates are prepared and well-trained."

Moore said almost 100 percent of the PRCC vo-tech graduates are either placed in a job or they transfer to a senior college.

"The job market is great at this time," said Moore. "We don't have enough graduates to fill employers' requests."

A recently held Job Placement workshop prepared the students for the Career Fair. The workshop featured a host of "how-to's" for students seeking employment.

Subjects include resume writing, how to market yourself, how to interview, how to do a job search, how to keep that job, and how to get promoted.

"The workshop prepares students for securing and holding a job in the workplace," said Moore. "It is required for graduation. Vocational courses on the Poplarville campus include: barbering, brick, block and stone masonry, cosmetology, practical nursing, residential carpentry and welding."

Commercial truck driving is offered through the Job Training Partnership Act. Vocational programs at the Forrest County campus include: dental assisting, practical nursing and nursing assistant through the JTPA.

Technical courses on the Poplarville campus include: automated manufacturing, auto mechanics, banking and finance, biomedical equipment repair, child development, computer networking, computer networking servicing, diesel equipment mechanics, drafting and design, electrical, electronics, heating and air conditioning, instrumentation, machine tool operation/machine shop, management information systems, marketing/management, medical office and office systems.

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Georgia-Pacific's common stock was redesignated in December 1997 to reflect separately the performance of the company's pulp, paper and building products manufacturing and distribution businesses, which are now known as Georgia-Pacific Group.

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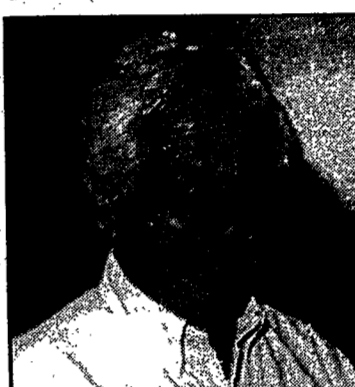
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WHITNEY HOLDING/WTNY	34 ¹ / ₁₆	-2 ¹ / ₁₆

Submitted by Craig Foster, Edward D. Jones Co.

Rubbish—Operator under fire

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by a recent court ruling in Scott County. He said, in a contested contract, the court ruled that although an owner (the DEQ permittee) of a rubbish site can contract its operations out to another party, the owner cannot relinquish control or liability for that site.

Johnson actually sent notice to Waste Management's Division Manager in Jackson on January 26, asking that firm to vacate the premises by January 31, 1999, "or at the end of the legally required notice period as

required by Mississippi State law."

He said his deal with Waste Management was further complicated last July when Trans-American Waste Management, Inc., merged with U.S.A. Waste, then later bought out Waste Management, Inc.

Johnson wrote Savage, "As you are well aware there is no existing operating contract between Waste Management, Inc., and Mississippi Pumping and Disposal Services. Accordingly, Waste Management has

been occupying the premises on the basis of a month-to-month rental agreement."

Johnson further charged, "Waste Management, Inc., is in default of any agreement which may have existed between Mississippi Pumping Disposal Services, Inc. Waste Management, Inc., has failed to pay rent and/or other compensation or consideration timely when due. Accordingly, we are instituting eviction proceedings to recover possession of the...property. No compensation or other consid-

eration or rental payments have been received since the payment for the month of October, 1998, which was received two months late."

The Authority asked its attorney, Lucien Gex, what the county could do to ensure that the facility remained open.

"We still have a contract," Gex insisted, "until he (Johnson) terminates it."

Gex said if Waste Management is evicted, the Authority would have to negotiate a new contract with Johnson.

Power—Outages under discussion

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Power Company and submitted a letter dated Tuesday, Feb. 2, requesting Mississippi Power pay for damages to her compressor.

Longo informed the Blanchards that on Tuesday afternoon he had met with a representative of Mississippi Power Company to discuss their problems, as well as several other issues. He reported he

had been told the power company had already begun a city-wide project to upgrade lightning resistors on lines. "We are going to continue to press to make sure we have the service the city deserves," Longo said.

Kurt Brautigan, manager for external communications at Mississippi Power said he was aware of the outages reported at

the Blanchard's home and surrounding area. "In the past 13 months, the Blanchards have reported outages 12 times," Brautigan said. He explained that Brown and Sears avenues are at the end of line and if there is an outage up the line, those residents will also feel the effects. "We are doing everything necessary to make sure that all residents receive quick re-

sponse when an outage does occur," Brautigan said.

Mississippi Power crews were in the Waveland area early in the week, testing and upgrading lightning arresters on lines throughout the city. Brautigan said every five years, Mississippi Power repairs or replaces 20 percent of its service area.

Celebration—Events scheduled

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toward paying costs of the construction of the park, which is being designed by local architect Kevin Fitzpatrick and

for the pedestal which will hold the statue in place.

A time capsule will be placed inside the pedestal, the con-

tents of which are still being decided.

"We are open to suggestions. We plan on having an iron vault that will probably be a cubic yard," said Gray. One suggestion received for the capsule was a printout of the city's utility billing, which would contain the name of all utility customers in the city.

In addition to the creation of the statue and park, the city is planning a series of events throughout the year, all within the theme of "Leaders and Legacies."

Organized by Bay St. Louis Director of Cultural Affairs Mike Cuevas, the anticipated events will be of a wide variety such as the development of a legacy park, and exhibits recog-

nizing cultural leaders, artists and athletes.

"Everything will be done building toward the August event," said Cuevas. "The week surrounding the actual unveiling of the statue we expect there to be a lot of spontaneous activities."

The Hancock County Tourism Development Bureau will also join in the celebration.

Plans are in the works for a special Tercentennial Campaign in lieu of the bureau's summer campaign, said Executive Director Beth Carriere.

Although details are still being finalized, Carriere said the Tercentennial Campaign will be "enjoyable and educational" for both children and adults and will be geared for local participation as well as visitor.

Landfill

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who chairs the Authority, asked fellow supervisors, "Is this Board of Supervisors still in agreement with the way we're headed?"

He got only one answer from Philip Moran, the president of the Board, who first suggested that the county should look for a landfill site in the vast buffer zone surrounding the Stennis Space Center.

"We need to move forward with this," said Moran. "Every day we delay, it costs this county money. We can go from spending \$470,000 a year to spending zero and possibly down the line having some income."

And, after last Monday's decision which will begin the process, the Echo learned that

there's another move underway with the aim of uniting public officials.

A "closed door" executive session is scheduled Monday night, that is expected to be attended by supervisors, Bay St. Louis Councilmen and Waveland's Board of Aldermen. (The mayors of both cities already serve on the six-member Authority). Meanwhile negotiations aimed at hammering out a final contract continue behind closed doors between the Authority's attorneys and Dr. Bennett York and other principals of Mississippi Waste of Hancock County, which wants to site, construct

and build the landfill.

At Wednesday's meeting of the Authority, Pullman told the curious, "We're not locked in...We've not signed a contract."

Besides the landfill location, others have requested a change to the county's Solid Waste Plan to allow them to operate three additional rubbish sites in various parts of the county, and another applicant wants to open a waste tire recycling center.

The hearing March 10 at the Civic Center is scheduled to begin at 7 p.m.

In the meantime, the public can submit written comments to Hancock County's Regional Solid Waste Authority, P.O. Box 116, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520.

The amended plan will also be available for review after Feb. 11 at the Hancock County Courthouse, City Halls in Bay St. Louis and Waveland, and public libraries in Bay St. Louis and Kiln.

If and when the Authority signs a contract with Mississippi Waste, that firm must apply to the state Department of Environmental Quality to obtain a permit. The DEQ would then hold another public hearing on the landfill plan.

The situation calls to mind a line from a popular Broadway show: "Fasten your seat belts. It's going to be a bumpy night!"

Authority

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tion District will continue to handle the billing and collecting of garbage fees.

The Authority also heard a report on grants that are available from Jeff Loftus of the Gulf Regional Planning Commission.

Loftus came mainly to report that he will file for a state grant that would make \$17,500 available to hire a litter enforcement officer in Hancock County. He said only half of the funds could be used for the officer's salary,

but plans to get with Hancock County Sheriff Ronnie Peterson to see whether funds he has on hand can be used to supplement the salary or if a patrol car and equipment can be accepted as a match for the grant.

The Authority told Loftus to go after "as many grants as you can get." Loftus said he would, but he recommended somewhere down the line, the Authority needs to appoint or hire someone to monitor the implementation of the grant programs.

Hancock vocational students place in competition

Several Hancock County Vocational-Technical students recently placed in the district level Technology Student Association (TSA) competition at Jones Community College.

Winners include Chris Rudell, second place in Aerospace Flight Endurance; Stony Dosssett, third place in Research and Design; and Nick Deal,

third place in Desktop Publishing.

In addition, Glen Estes will compete in Computer Construction, Jason Ellis in Computer Construction & Cyberspace Pursuit, and Stephen Adamec and John Robbins in Cyberspace Pursuit.

All of these students will attend the state TSA competition March 16-17 in Jackson.

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After the landing the Birthday Celebration will move across the street to the ground of the Mississippi Gulf Coast Coliseum featuring:

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- A special performance by *Cirque Du Soleil*
- A ten foot birthday cake with sparklers and confetti cannons
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- Children's area with arts, crafts, and sporting activities
- African American Story Teller, Adora Dupree
- Food and Craft Vendors
- Dancing to the music of ISIS
- FIREWORKS display at dusk

Budweiser

Admission and parking are free. Seating is \$5.00. Tickets are available at the door.

COMMUNITY

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Welcome Center celebrates 20th anniversary



Frank Hobson Jr., left, is presented a certification of appreciation from George Smith, Mississippi tourism director. Hobson makes frequent visits and entertains with his saxophone at the center.



JoAnn Lagasse, left, executive director of the Hancock County Retired Senior Volunteer Program, accepts a certificate of appreciation from George Smith, Mississippi tourism director. RVP volunteers assist at the Welcome Center on a regular basis.



Pat Cucullu, left, a board member of the Hancock County Tourism Bureau, was recognized for her many days of helping at the Welcome Center. She is congratulated by George Smith, Mississippi tourism director, who presented her with a certificate of appreciation.

Hundreds are entertained

STORY AND
PHOTOS BY
ELLIS C.
CUEVAS

Temperatures were in the 70s on a clear sunny day Thursday as the Hancock County Welcome Center celebrated its 20th anniversary with a day-long celebration.

There was singing, dancing, displays and entertainment for the hundreds who attended the festivities.

Featured speaker was George Smith, Mississippi tourism director.

The Welcome Center, located two miles into Mississippi on



Bobby Tate, manager of the Hancock County Welcome Center, expresses her appreciation to the many community volunteers who have helped over the years welcome visitors to the area.

Highway 607 off Interstate 10, brings thousands of visitors to the state each year.

Smith said there were some eight million people to register at the Hancock County Welcome Center since its opening 20 years ago. He estimated that surveys indicate less than 25 percent register at welcome centers and places the number of persons stopping at the site about 50 million.

On hand for the celebration were two of the original center

CENTERS—PAGE 5B



A large crowd gathered for a day-long celebration of the Mississippi Hancock Welcome Center's 20th anniversary celebration Thursday.



Rose Herrin, Mississippi Welcome Center manager, issues a welcome to a very large crowd at the 20th anniversary celebration of the Hancock County Welcome Center on Thursday. Rev. A.F. Theriault, right, pastor of St. Rose de Lima Catholic Church, Bay St. Louis, gave the invocation.



Members of the Pearl River Community Center band have performed for special occasions at the Welcome Center over the years. George Smith, left, presented a certificate of appreciation to Archie Rawls, band leader. Jeanna Runnells of Petal, Mississippi's Miss Hospitality, in background, sang the National Anthem.



The Diamondhead Line Dancers perform throughout the year at special occasions at the Hancock County Welcome Center. In recognition of the contributions, George Smith, left, presented the group's leaders Ruth and Charles Olivier a certification of appreciation.



George Smith, left, Mississippi tourism director, presents a certificate of appreciation to 1st Class Petty Officer James Prentice, a member of the Naval Construction Battalion #133 Honor Guard. The unit presented the colors for the Welcome Center's anniversary.

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BREAKFAST
Monday — Breakfast Pizza, Cereal, Toast, Juice.
Tuesday — Sausage Biscuit, Cereal, Toast, Juice.
Wednesday — Muffins, Cereal, Toast, Juice.
Thursday — Pancake and Sausage Stick, Cereal, Toast, Juice.
Friday — Grits and Hashbrowns, Cereal, Toast, Juice.

LUNCH
Monday — BBQ Chicken, Nachos Grande, Mashed Potato/Cheese, Calif. Veggies, Garden Salad, Fruit Cocktail, Applesauce, Orange Wedges, Yeast Roll.
Tuesday — Pepperoni Pizza, Ham and Cheese Paboy, Whole Kernel Corn, Green Peas, Glazed Carrots, Peach Slices, Mandarin Fruit Cup, Fresh Bananas, Crackers, Pompeii Fruit Bar.
Wednesday — Soft Taco Supreme, Chicken Sandwich, Whipped Potatoes, Black Bean Salad, Seasoned Green Beans, Fresh Fruit Bowl.

Chilled Pears, Fruit Cocktail, Yeast Roll, Cinnamon Roll.
Thursday — Stromboli, Hamburger, Spicy Fries, Broccoli-Cheese Rice, Steamed Carrot Coins, Mandarin Fruit Cup, Peach Slices, Fresh Fruit Bowl, Crackers, Strawberry Jello.
Friday — Chicken Gumbo with Rice, Corn Dog, Potato Salad, Mixed Vegetables, Tossed Salad, Fresh Apple, Frozen Juice Bar, Fruit Cocktail, Crackers, Peanut Butter Bar.

**Hancock
High School**

Chef Salad, Bread,
Dessert and Milk
Condiments:
Mustard/Mayo/Ketchup
Sweet and Sour Sauce/Salsa
BBQ Sauce, Hot Sauce or
Taco Sauce

LUNCH
Monday — Lasagna, Grilled Chicken Sandwich, Seasoned Green Beans, Carrot Sticks with Dip, Tossed Salad, Applesauce, Peach Slices, Fruit Juice, Yeast Roll, Crackers, Fruit Cobbler.
Tuesday — Red Beans and Rice with Sausage, Hamburger, French Fries, Calif. Veggies, Fresh Fruit Bowl, Chilled Pears, Fruit Juice, Yeast Bread Sticks, Crackers.
Wednesday — Macaroni and

Cheese with Ham, Turkey Sub, Baked Sweet Potatoes and Apples, Whole Kernel Corn, Tossed Salad, Frozen Juice Bars, Apples, Fruit Juice, french Bread, Crackers, Chewy Fudge Brownies.
Thursday — Chicken Tenders, Shaved Ham Club on Bun, Seasoned Potato Cuts, Broccoli with Cheese Sauce, Glazed Carrots, Fresh Orange Wedges, Strawberry Fruit Gelatin, Fruit Juice, Yeast Rolls, Crackers.
Friday — Fried Catfish, BBQ Rib Sandwich, French Fries, Southern Greens, Green Beans with Potatoes, Apple and Orange Wedges, Tropical Fruit Mix, Fruit Juice, Yeast Rolls, Crackers, Chocolate Pudding.

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Monday — Blueberry Muffin, Juice.
Tuesday — Ham Biscuit, Applesauce.
Wednesday — Waffle Sticks, Mixed Fruit.
Thursday — Flapsticks, Applesauce.
Friday — Breakfast Pizza, Juice.

LUNCH
Monday — Lasagna, Grilled Chicken Sandwich, Seasoned Green Beans, Carrot Sticks with Dip, Tossed Salad, Applesauce, Peach Slices, Fruit Juice, Yeast Roll, Crackers, Fruit Cobbler.
Tuesday — Chicken Tetrazzini, Hamburger, French Fries, Calif. Veggies, Fresh Fruit Bowl, Chilled Pears, Fruit Juice, Yeast Rolls, Crackers.
Wednesday — Beef Tamale Pie, Turkey Sub, Baked Sweet Potatoes and Apples, Whole Kernel Corn, Tossed Salad, Frozen Juice Bars, Apples, Fruit Juice, French Bread, Crackers.
Thursday — Chicken Tenders, Shaved Ham Club on Bun, Seasoned Potato Cuts, Broccoli with Cheese Sauce, Glazed Carrots, Fresh Orange Wedges, Strawberry Fruit Gelatin, Yeast Rolls, Crackers.
Friday — Fried Catfish, Pizza, French Fries, Southern Greens, Green Beans with Potatoes, Tropical Fruit Mix, Fruit Juice, Cornbread, Crackers.

**Grant, Moe on
Chancellor's list**

Stephanie Rose Grant and Bennett Alan Moe, both of Diamondhead, were recently named to the Chancellor's Honor Roll.

A grade point average of 3.75-4.0 is required of full-time students taking at least 12 semester hours to qualify for inclusion on the honor roll.

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All As: Whitney Bosworth, Claudio Irias, Cody Matherne, Athena Palode, Steven Ricks, Karen Yuan.
As & Bs: John Badger, Brad Bennett, Katherine Diaz, Brittany Doyle, Heather Elliott, Joshua Laurent, Jenelle Macon, Lindy Pittman, Erica Plaisance.
THIRD GRADE
All As: Ian Ferguson, Darren Givenas, Kord McCarty, Tashauna Patmon.
As & Bs: Heather Bryars, Tyler Debenport, Brittany Drake, Darell Forrest, Paige Comillion, Sarah Graves, Erin Hayman, Zabrana Smith, Charles Young, Eric Zeringue.
FOURTH GRADE
All As: Raoul Boughton, Mi-

chelle Bradley, Richmond Harris, Allison Price.
As & Bs: Anthony Anderson, Karolanne Darby, Megan Dupont, Kytie Hall, Brein Hennessey, Kimberly Macon, Ryan Smith, Kirk Wise.

FIFTH GRADE

All As: Rodrick Pullman.
As & Bs: Trent Badger, Drew Givenas, Andrew Hayman, Teresa Smith, Megan Walters, Andrew Zeringue.

SIXTH GRADE

All As: Rachael Diaz, Maressa Riley.
As & Bs: Trysta Bradley, Mae-Lynn Germany.

Hepatitis B vaccination required for school entry

Youngsters who enter kindergarten for the first time in Mississippi schools from August 1999 forward must have had hepatitis B vaccine.

The State Board of Health approved the new immunization requirement for five-year-old kindergartners at their January meeting. Mississippi joins 34 states that already required hepatitis B vaccine for school entry.

The new requirement complies with recommendations of the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) and the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) to include the addition of hepatitis B vaccine. Without vaccine protection, an estimated 2,000 Mississippians — 200,000 people in the United States — develop hepatitis B each year. Some 10 percent of them will become chronically infected, with a 12 to 300 times greater risk of liver cancer than individuals without chronic hepatitis B.

Twenty-five percent of those chronically infected will develop chronic active hepatitis, which often leads to cirrhosis.

The hepatitis B vaccine is a recombinant vaccine that requires three doses during the first one-and-a-half years of life. Public health proponents consider the vaccine very effective with few side effects.

Hepatitis B vaccine has been recommended for all infants since November 1991, and many private physicians have been giving it since then. Since 1994, the Health Department has provided hepati-

tis B vaccine for infants. Most children born in the state since have already received the vaccine.

Hepatitis B vaccine is recommended and available through the Health Department for all infants, children and adolescents through 18 years of age.

Documented proof of receipt of the three-dose hepatitis B vaccine series will be recorded on the Certificate of Immunization Compliance form already required for students entering the school for the first time.

Children entering five-year-olds kindergarten before completing the three-dose hepatitis B vaccine series will be issued a Certificate of Immunization Compliance form showing the due date for the next dose of hepatitis B vaccine.

A completed Certificate of Immunization Compliance form is issued after the student receives all three doses of the hepatitis B vaccine.

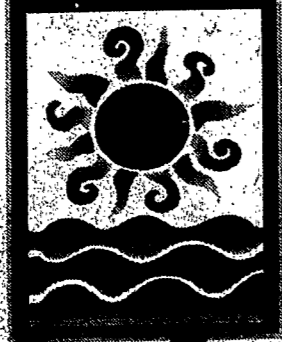
Acceptable exceptions to the new immunization requirement for school entry include a documented physician's diagnosis of previous infection or laboratory confirmation of immunity to hepatitis B virus disease.

All pediatric care providers should begin assessing the immunization status of children in their practice now to ensure that their patients are vaccinated in accordance with the new requirement.

Parents should review their child's immunization records now to determine if any of the required vaccines for school entry are needed.

If parents have a question about their child's immunization needs, they should contact the health care provider where the child received immunizations or their local health department.


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Christmas gift

The Old Town Merchants Association and the participants in the Second Saturday Artwalk Series set aside a portion of their profits from sales during the Christmas holiday season to benefit the Hancock County Save Our Children (SOC) organization. From left, Bob Hubbard, representing SOC accepts the contributions from Sylvia Young of the Merchants Association and Miss Alice Mosley. Young said the merchants will continue annually with their holiday set aside. This year's program featured carolling directed by Emmett and Wanda Tullault, costumes and other special sales events. Not pictured is Miss Geraldine Lang, director of the SOC program. (Echo staff photo by Betty Ruth Hawkins).

MILITARY MENTIONS

PO3 WALDEN
Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Shannen L. Walden, son of Melton and Shirley Walden of Pass Christian, recently received a Letter of Appreciation while assigned aboard the guided missile frigate USS Stephen W. Groves, homeported in Pascagoula.

Walden was recognized for his superior performance of duty. Displaying remarkable dedication and initiative, Walden consistently performed his demanding duties in an exemplary and highly professional manner.

Walden joined the Navy in July 1995.

SEAMAN GEISEL
Navy Seaman Alisha S. Geisel, daughter of Woodrow and Pamela Geisel of Bay St. Louis, recently completed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Ill.

Geisel is a 1998 graduate of Bay High School.



MSGT PETTIS
Air Force Master Sgt. Artri B. Pettis has been selected as a member of "Tops In Blue," the Air Force's premier entertainment showcase.

The traveling entertainment troupe consists of 30 active duty airmen and officers dedicated to entertaining military families across the globe.

Members undergo an intense 45-day training period at the home of Tops in Blue, Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

The accelerated training prepares them to succeed as world-class entertainers and distinguished Air Force ambassadors during the tour.

While on tour, the instrumentalists, vocalists, performers, producers and choreographers give up one year away from their regular military jobs, homes and families to fulfill their desire to entertain.

Pettis is normally assigned as a requirements chief with Headquarters Air National Guard, Andrews Air Force Base, Camp Springs, Md.

She is the daughter of Margaret E. Davis of Bay St. Louis and Spencer M. Sherrod of Fairfield, Calif.

Her husband, Andrew, is the son of Andrew Pettis of Washington, D.C., and B. Jean Merriweather of Buffalo, N.Y. The sergeant is a 1981 graduate of Vanden High School, Fairfield, Calif.



Bay St. Louis' Samantha Bloodworth is stationed aboard the amphibious assault ship, USS Rushmore (LSD 47).

Bay St. Louis Sailor operates in new streamlined Navy

Story by Chito Peppler and Roland Ortiz

Photo by Aaron Ansarov

Bay St. Louis' Samantha Bloodworth is stationed aboard the amphibious assault ship USS Rushmore (LSD 47), which recently benefited from the chief of naval operation's (CNO) commitment to reducing the workload on operating forces.

What this latest CNO initiative means for ships in the Navy is less time at sea, fewer inspections, and less paper work with which to contend.

What this change means to Bloodworth, the 19-year-old daughter of Corrine Carter of Bay St. Louis, is that she and other shipmates will be spending less time at sea aboard the ship and more time at home.

To cut down the workload of a Navy heavily deployed around the globe, the CNO recently reduced the demands on Sailors stationed aboard ships.

As a result, Seaman Recruit Bloodworth and thousands of other Sailors will not go through as many inspections at sea. By combining some inspections and eliminating others, the CNO has allowed Bloodworth to spend more time with friends and family before and after major overseas deployments.

Bloodworth, a quartermaster, assists in the safe navigation of the ship and maintains the charts used in navigation. She believes that this new policy will improve the quality of life in the Navy.

"In a way, this initiative will lighten the workload and build stronger family bonds at the same time," Bloodworth said.

Bloodworth believes it is important for the Navy to deploy amphibious assault ships, or "gators," like the Rushmore overseas.

"For one reason, we deploy or ships to show other countries who we are and what we stand for. The other reason is to give Sailors the experience of foreign lands and training aboard ships," Bloodworth said.

Keeping peace in a volatile world is demanding. While on six-month-long deployments, Sailors face long hours and the threat of enemy aggression.

Once back home, however, the Sailors welcome the extra time to spend with their families and friends.

"The new initiative will definitely boost morale. It's hard for families to deal with life in the military, especially when the family member goes overseas. I think this will better their lives and gain more respect for the Navy," Bloodworth said.



John Thomas Longo, Mayor

PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF WAVELAND RESIDENTS

The City of Waveland Election Commissioners and Registrar of Voters are asking that any persons who have had a change of address, name change or change in marital status, or know of a deceased related registered voter, please contact Waveland City Hall Registrar's Office for purposes of updating voter registration rolls. Phone 467-4134.

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Colonial Dames

Mrs. Bulter Kemp III of Bay St. Louis, left, was installed as president of the Magnolia Chapter of the Colonial Dames XVII Century recently in the historic Carvey House in Magnolia, Miss. Mrs. Kemp receives her president's pin from out-going president, Mrs. Robert Burrows, right. Also, Mrs. Mary Leigh Weston of Bay St. Louis was appointed parliamentarian.

World War I Auxiliary 2537

The World War I Auxiliary 2537 held its meeting recently for a noon meal followed by the regular meeting at the American Legion 139 Club House, Green Meadow Road, Bay St. Louis.

Shirley Clemons, president, opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. The minutes from the previous meeting were read by Lucille Boudreaux, secretary, and the treasurer report was given by Margaret Prevou.

Election of officers was held: President, Shirley Clemons; secretary, Lucille Boudreaux; treasurer, Margaret Prevou; chaplain, Mattie North; conductress, Mamie Carver.

The auxiliary received two national awards for membership and outstanding service to veterans.

The auxiliary is inviting new members. Active membership in the auxiliary shall be limited to wives, widows, mothers, sisters, half-sisters and daughters and granddaughters 18 or over, step-daughters, foster and adopted daughters, women who served honorably in the armed services of World War I and foster mothers and foster sisters who were in this status before service was rendered by veterans of World War I are eligible for membership. Marion Elliott is membership chairman.

The next meeting will be Feb. 18 at American Legion 139 Club House at 11 a.m. on Green Meadow Road, Bay St. Louis.

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TOPS WAVELAND 233

TOPS MS 233 met Feb. 2 at the Waveland Public Library. The club had a net loss of 40.25 pounds. Best loser was Judy with 7 pounds. Juanita was the best KOPS loser. The gift was won by Lenny, and the incentive award was won by Tessa. The club played bingo to earn money for SRD.

Charms were awarded to Jeanette Rose and Shirley for perfect attendance. Karen J. received a charm for being the best KOPS loser for January. Kathy received charms for being the best KOPS loser for January and for the quarter. Verma received a charm for being the best TOPS loser for the quarter. Beverly received a pin for walking over 1,000 miles. The club has walked 4,064 miles since the walking contest began six months ago. Some members will attend an area meeting in Ocean Springs Feb. 11.

TOPS MS 233 meets every Tuesday at the Waveland Public Library. Weigh-ins are from 5-5:45 p.m. with the meeting following.

Long Beach Garden Club

The Long Beach Garden Club will sponsor a special one-day art exhibit in conjunction with the 52nd annual Spring Pilgrimage of the Mississippi Gulf Coast Council of Garden Clubs, Inc.

The show will be Monday, March 22 at the Long Beach Garden Club Center, 201 East Fifth Street (corner of E 5th and S Burke, directly behind Sav-A-Center).

Subject matter will be related to the tricentennial — coastal flowers, coastal landscapes and coastal historical sites. All artists, 15 years and older in the three coastal counties are eligible.

Work should be delivered to the Long Beach Garden Club Center Saturday, March 20, noon-2 p.m. and picked up on Saturday, March 27, noon-2 p.m.

Work should be properly framed, wired for hanging and labeled on the back, top left-hand corner with the artist's name, title of the artwork, medium and price.

This year, for the purpose of awarding cash prizes, there will be an entry fee of \$10 for either one or two paintings. This is strictly to benefit the artists and thereby continue to grow as an annual event. This is the third annual juried show.

First, second and third cash prizes will be awarded; judge to be announced. Winners will be announced and displayed, along with other art work on Monday, March 22, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. They will be displayed during the following week at Botanica, Home and Garden Creations, 118 West Scenic Drive, Pass Christian.

The interest in this show has been overwhelming and a welcome addition to the Long Beach Spring Pilgrimage. Everyone passing through the Long Beach Garden Club is greeted by this work.

Questions should be addressed to Terry Blake Edwards, 211 Oak Street, Long Beach, MS 39560. Please include a self-addressed stamped envelope.

Waveland Senior Citizens

The monthly meeting of the Waveland Senior Citizens Association will be Monday, Feb. 8 at 10 a.m. at the American Legion Post-77 on Coleman Avenue.

Guest speaker will be Mayor Tommy Longo of Waveland.



Residential garden

The home of Jim and Pat Outlaw, 8705 Diamondhead Drive West, has been selected as the January Residential Garden of the Month by the Diamondhead Garden Club.



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The Diamondhead Garden Club has chosen the Diamondhead Yacht Club as the January Garden of the Month.

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ENGAGEMENT West-Coleman

Margaret "Peggy" West of Long Beach announces the engagement of her daughter, Olivia Ann West, also of Long Beach, to DeWayne Allen Coleman, son of Lewis and Shirley Tillman of Waveland.

Miss West is also the daughter of the late Clayton Lee West. Her grandparents are the late Ennis and Margaret Carver Johnson and the late Archie Ray and Lula West. Great-grandparents are the late Henry and Mary Carver.

The bride-elect is a 1996 graduate of Long Beach High School and is employed with Turan Foley Olds Cadillac in Gulfport. The prospective groom's grandparents are Robert and Anna Schwark of Cameron, La., and Lewis and Gladys Tillman of Bay St. Louis. He is a 1995 graduate of Bay High School and is self-employed.

Vows will be exchanged Feb. 7 at the Port of New Orleans.

Traditional artists benefit from grant for internet site

The Mississippi Arts Commission has been awarded a \$10,000 grant from the Lila Wallace-Reader's Digest Community Folklife Program to develop an internet site highlighting traditional artists in the state, said Betsy Bradley, executive director.

"Mississippi is home to a variety of traditional art forms, many of which have reached beyond the boundaries of the state and influenced American culture as a whole," Bradley said.

"This project will provide Mississippians with an accessible resource for information on the artists who are keeping alive these traditions in their communities. It will also serve as an introduction to Mississippi's traditional arts for people throughout the country and world."

The internet site will provide information on the traditional art forms and artists featured in the commission's upcoming traveling exhibit, "Crossroads of the Heart."

In addition to information on specific artists, the site will also include a listing of further resources on traditional arts in the state and a guide for teachers interested in incorporating the traditional arts in their classrooms.

This project is supported by a

grant from the Lila Wallace-Reader's Digest Community Folklife Program, administered by the Fund for Folk Culture and underwritten by the Lila Wallace-Reader's Digest Fund.

The Fund for Folk Culture is a publicly supported foundation dedicated to the preservation, appreciation, dissemination and study of the rich variety of folk cultures in the United States and abroad.

The organization was established in 1991 to help answer the growing call for increased private sector support for this major sphere of cultural activity.

The fund invests in programs nationwide that enhance the cultural life of communities and encourage people to make the arts and culture an active part of their everyday lives.

It supports efforts to build audiences for the performing, visual, literary and folk arts, and supports programs to improve literacy instruction for adults and the creation and improvement of urban parks.

The Mississippi Arts Commission is a state agency funded by the Mississippi Legislature and the National Endowment for the Arts, a federal agency.

For information, contact the Commission's Heritage Program director, Larry Morrissey, at (601) 359-6036.

Valentine's to highlight children's story hour

"Valentine's" will be the theme for the children's story hour at the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library Wednesday, Feb. 10 at 10:30 a.m.

How Raggedy Ann Got Her Candy Heart and *Valentine Cats* are books to be read. Susan Daigre, program coordinator, will assist the children in making Valentine's puppets.

Weekly story hours are held September through May. Programs last approximately a half hour. The Kiln Library hosts a

story hour every other Thursday, which will begin Sept. 17 at 10:30 a.m.

Programs and activities are designed for pre-school-age children three to five years old who are not part of a nursery or pre-school group.

For story hour information, contact David Woodburn, Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Public Library, 467-5282; Sandra Ladner, Kiln Library, 255-1724.

March 1 deadline for applying for spring grants from the Gulf Coast Community Foundation

Applications for the Spring 1999 round of competitive grants from the Gulf Coast Community Foundation are now available. Grants will be awarded from three funds held by the Community Foundation.

The Pat Santucci Friends of Public Education Fund awards approximately \$3,000 for public education projects in Hancock, Harrison, Jackson and Stone counties. Awards are usually between \$500 and \$1,000.

The Isaiah Fredericks Education Fund awards up to \$1,000 for a new public school project targeted at assisting low income families in the Harrison County or Gulfport school districts.

The Community Foundation is also requesting proposals for up to \$1,500 under an initiative from the Roy Anderson Corp./Neighborhoods Fund to support projects that benefit children in Hancock, Harrison or Jackson counties.

Application forms may be obtained from the Gulf Coast Community Foundation, P. O. Box 1899, Gulfport, MS 39502 or call 228-868-1563. The deadline for application is March 1.

Change to Hope Haven board meetings

Hope Haven has changed the location of its board meetings. Board meetings will be held in the meeting room of the Mississippi Power Company.

Meetings are normally held on the third Tuesday of each month. The closed board of officers meeting is at 5:30 p.m. with advisory board members and the general public welcome at 6:30 p.m. The meeting dates are:

Tuesdays, Feb. 23, (due to

Mardi Gras), March 16, April 20, May 18, June 15, July 20, Aug. 17, Sept. 21, Oct. 19, Nov. 16, and Dec. 21 (subject to cancellation due to Christmas).

All members of Hope Haven and any members of the public who are interested in helping abused and neglected children are invited to attend.

Contact Terry Latham, director, at 467-7945 for additional information or to volunteer.

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Arbor Day celebration

Hancock County Soil & Water Conservation District, assisted by Mississippi Forestry Commission, will be giving away and selling trees in celebration of Arbor Day in Mississippi beginning at 8 a.m. on the steps of the county courthouse.

Trees available for sale are on a first-come, first-serve basis. They include Redbud, Southern Magnolia, Autumn Olive Bush and Bradford Pear.

All of these trees are bare root and will sell for \$4 each. Trees that are for free include Green Ash, Baldcypress, White Oak and Swamp Chestnut Oak. Limited numbers of trees are available. Those interested in

the trees are advised to come early.

The celebration includes a week of programs being presented to all the elementary schools in Hancock County to educate students on the vital part trees play in protecting the environment and the value of this valuable natural resource.

Hancock County Soil & Water Conservation District and Mississippi Forestry Commission have planted trees every year at these schools.

Smokey Bear and Sammy Soil are sometimes part of the programs to assist in education the students.

Elementary schools throughout

the county have scheduled Arbor Day plantings at the following times and dates:

— Tuesday, Feb. 9, Hancock North Central Elementary, 8:30 a.m., Gulfview Elementary at 10:30 a.m. and Charles B. Murphy Elementary at 11:30 a.m.

— Wednesday, Feb. 10, Coast Episcopal at 8:30 a.m., St. Clare Elementary, 9:45 a.m., and Bay Catholic Elementary at 10:45 a.m.

— Thursday, Feb. 11, Waveland Elementary at 8:40 a.m., North Bay Elementary, 10 a.m., and Bay Middle School at 11:30 a.m.

Centers

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were two of the original center employees of Bay St. Louis, Joyce Boqui and Melanie Mitchell.

The Welcome Center's location almost took an Act of Congress to be located at the intersection of I-10 and Highway 607, as it is in the buffer zone of the Space Center. Original plans when I-10 was constructed was for it to be located at I-10 at Highway 603.

Smith's biggest announcement was that tourism economically has now moved into the number two spot in Mississippi as a \$5.5 billion industry last year.

Smith said that gaming has played a significant role in the increase in tourism. He indicated

that prior to 1998, the three counties across the Gulf Coast had 6,000 motel rooms available and that number has now jumped to 15,000, the largest increase across the nation for an area during that period.

He went on to say that tourism will also have a banner year for the state during 1999.

Hancock County placed special emphasis on tourism with the formation of the Hancock County Tourism Development Bureau in 1966.

Displays include several of Mardi Gras which was courtesy of "Gather Ye Rosebuds" Society.

Rosie Herron, Mississippi Welcome Center Bureau mana-

ger and Bobby Tate, Hancock County Welcome manager, both along with Smith offered high praises for the support the center receives from the residents of Hancock County and area.

Numerous times throughout the year groups and individuals join in with the Welcome Center's hosts in greeting visitors.

The Hancock County Tourism Development Bureau also works very close with the center in promoting activities to bring tourists to the county.

Several certificates of appreciation were given by Smith for special assists to the Welcome Center.

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Kings and queens

Kings and queens of Bay Catholic International Peace Mardi Gras parade have been named. Reigning as king and queen from Connie Heitzmann's and Teri Borne's Kindergarten classes are, respectively, Jacob Randolph Robinson, son of Randy and Wendy Robinson of Diamondhead and Madison Elizabeth Rau, daughter of Peter and Lisa Rau of Kiln. Jacob is the grandson of Gilbert and Jacqueline Robinson of Metairie and of Fredrick Meyer, also of Metairie and Mrs. Betty Meyer of Abita Springs, La. Madison is the granddaughter of Philip and Rosemary Pau of Metairie and of Tomi Jones Fitzgerald of Gretna and Roger B. McNamara of Phe-

lan, Calif. Reigning as king and queen over Sharon Klein's and Denise Mikoville's Kindergarten classes are, respectively, Wesley Thomas Haas, son of Kevin and Lisa Haas of Bay St. Louis and Alexa Marilyn Yanez, daughter of Dimitri and Kay Yanez, also of Bay St. Louis. Wesley is the grandson of Ruby Thomas and the late Gustave D. Thomas and of the late Myrtle and Wesley Haas and the great-grandson of late Lottie and Garfield Ladner. Alexa is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Almon Hanagriff of Lake Charles and the late Katherine Bossinas Yanez and Abelardo Yanez. The parade is scheduled to roll Friday, Feb. 12, beginning at 12:30 p.m.

Bay Catholic's Mardi Gras parade is Feb. 12

On Friday, Feb. 12, Bay Catholic Elementary School will be conducting its 19th annual Mardi Gras parade.

With its "International" theme, each class will dress in representative clothing and throw items symbolic of the

country they have studied. For example, England threw tea bags last year.

The Krewe of BCE will have two kings and two queens chosen from the kindergarten classes.

Unlike many school parades,

BCE's Mardi Gras parade rolls down four public streets, led by a police escort, and stops at City Hall where Mayor Favre will greet the krewes and present awards to several students, including seniors from Our Lady Academy and St. Stanislaus.

The 380-student school will also be joined during the parade by Bay High School's 50-member junior high band, several parade marshals and many BCE families and others from

the community.

Everyone is encouraged to come and join in on this day of family fun. Connie Heitzmann, a kindergarten teacher at BCE, said, "This parade throws more than the new Orleans parade."

Parade marshals may return any year they would like. For information on BCE's Mardi Gras parade, call Heitzmann at 467-5158.

Mardi Gras Parades

Krewe of Diamondhead Diamondhead

Saturday, Feb. 13, beginning at noon. The parade which will feature King Ali'i Honua John Sibley and Queen Sandra Sibley will begin at on Diamondhead Drive and will travel along Aloha and Kalani drives to Golf Course Drive where it will culminate at the Diamondhead Country Club.

For more information contact, Chris Amos, 255-7297

St. Paul's Carnival Pass Christian

Sunday, Feb. 14, beginning at 2 p.m. The parade will feature 75 floats and State Attorney General Mike Moore as Grand Marshal and Frank Whittmann as Parade Marshal. The parade will follow the traditional route from Davis Avenue to Scenic Drive where it will turn on Henderson Avenue to Church Avenue and down Second Street to St. Paul's Catholic Church.

For more information contact Helen Bentz 388-4116.

Krewe of Real People Bay St. Louis

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Train show steams into Baton Rouge

The Great American Train Show throttles down Feb. 20 and 21 in Baton Rouge for its first visit to the Pelican State. The United States' largest traveling model railroad show opens its doors 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday at Riverside Centroplex, 275 S. River Road, Baton Rouge.

John Centera, manager of Baton Rouge GATS, says this is GATS' first visit to Baton Rouge. The show will feature the Ark LaTex Modular Club, an award-winning club that has gotten rave reviews, and the Southeast Louisiana National Railroad Historical Society, which is presenting a workshop on old trains.

"The local clubs are real interested in this show and are anticipating good attendance," explains Centera.

If it has to do with trains, from state-of-the-art model trains to the old American

Flyers and Lionel which have thrilled generations, you'll find it at the Great American Train Show. The newly smitten and lifelong lovers of trains can revel in activities, including eight spectacular model railroad displays, 225 exhibitor tables, free daily workshops, thousands of accessories and GATs' new Big Fun Railroad, designed for children at least 3 years old, featuring seven operating trains including electric trains and Thomas the Tank battery-operated and radio-controlled trains.

Show attendees also can vote on their favorite layout, which will earn the winning club or modeler a \$400 cash prize and blue ribbon.

The weekend event will be one the entire family can attend and enjoy. Collectors, enthusiasts and the curious can indulge in nostalgia; see some of the finest model railroad dis-

plays in the area, learn how to start a layout and spruce up an existing one with new ideas and more.

Founded in 1984 by former IBM executive Dave Swanson, the Great American Train Show travels yearly to more than 90 cities in the United States and Canada presenting the hobby for model railroading to thousands of adults and children each weekend.

The driving force behind GATS is Swanson's desire to nationally promote the hobby in order to share the joy of the family-oriented hobby. GATS is the perfect weekend family event to fascinate children, entertain adults and provide a glimpse into the wonderful world of trains.

"A portion of each show is geared toward the children in the family because," says Swanson, "no one loves trains like children."

As for the adults, Swanson comments, "GATS is a perfect place to hook up with a model railroading club, which is a great way to get more involved in the hobby or meet new people in your community. It doesn't take much to get bitten by the bug of model railroading. Oftentimes, all you have to do is see someone setting up or operating a display."

Trains are an impressive and captivating part of our nation's history, which is why model railroading continues to be the hobby of choice for most American modelers. GATS opens people's minds and hearts to model railroading and train collecting the same way the first railroads opened up the West to pioneering settlers.

Admission is \$6 for adults. Children 11 and younger are admitted free with an adult. Admission is good both days.

Landing of d'Iberville explored at Gulf Islands

"Crossed over to the land 4 leagues north of here in my Biscayan, with 11 men and my brother in a bark canoe with two men. I went ashore and there found two trails of Indians made yesterday, which I followed overland with one man."

"This coast runs west by south and east by north. The trees here are very fine, mixed. We are seeing many plum trees in bloom; tracks of turkeys, partridges, which are no bigger than quail; hares like the ones in France; some rather good oysters."

Excerpts from Iberville's first landing on the Mississippi Coast, Feb. 13, 1699.

It was 300 years ago that Pierre Le Moyne d'Iberville anchored his fleet at Ship Island and rowed ashore to establish for France the colony of Louisiana.

During his four-month stay, the French-Canadian discovered the mouth of the Missis-

sippi River, explored the country's interior and established on what is today's Mississippi Gulf Coast the colony's first capital.

Three centuries later, historians, re-enactors, and other special guests are helping Gulf Islands National Seashore commemorate 1699-1999: Ship Island and the Mississippi Gulf Coast.

On Sunday, Feb. 7, a 17th century war hero and explorer returns, none the worse for wear, to describe his exploits to modern visitors and Coast residents. The Return of d'Iberville features a first look at the man ordered by his king to find the Mississippi River, make allies of the Indians and claim everything from the Gulf of Mexico to Canada.

Join Dr. James "Pat" Smith, associate professor of history at the University of Southern Mississippi, as he portrays Pierre Le Moyne d'Iberville in the Visitor Center auditorium at 2 p.m. at Davis Bayou in Ocean

Springs.

The Return of d'Iberville is just the first in a series of programs at Gulf Islands National Seashore during this special anniversary month. During successive Sundays, different programs will explore the French landing of 1699.

There will be a special Arts for Kids program, the opportunity to discover little known facts of the 17th century Gulf Coast and, finally, the opportunity to explore the world of the Colonial sailor. All programs are free and are scheduled to take place at 2 p.m.

In days of old, wind blew against outstretched cloth to drive ships across oceans to find new lands, new trading partners, and new empires.

On Feb. 14, kids can sail away to this nautical time in history when Arts for Kids presents Build Your Own Tall Ship.

Recommended for ages seven and up, kids can discover the world of sail, including what was involved to get from Europe to the Gulf Coast, and what did a sailor do when the wind didn't blow.

All materials are provided, and admission is free at 2 p.m. in the Visitor Center auditorium.

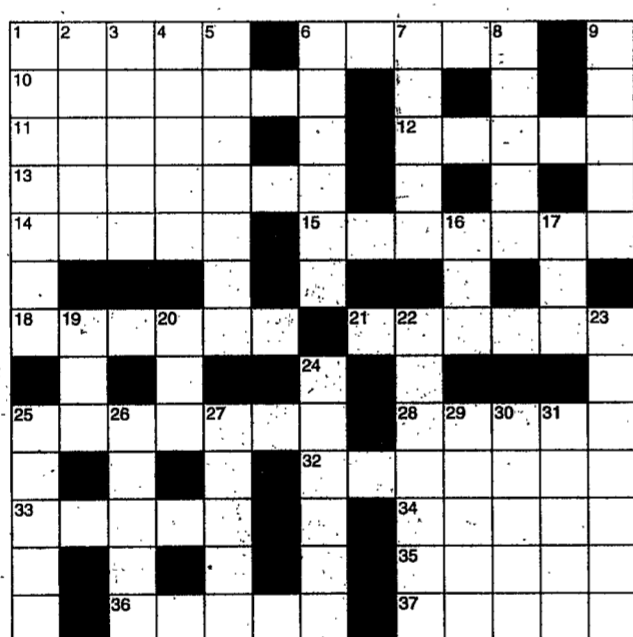
The French were not the first European explorers to come by the Mississippi coast. In fact, some readers of d'Iberville's journals may think his mission included to not just create a successful colony, but to also prove or disprove tall tales told by earlier explorers.

Ever hear of the "black" colonies on the coast? Do you know what kept fearful Spaniards off the Mississippi River, but allowed French explorers in? Where was Massacre Island? Why did d'Iberville not want to come to Ship Island?

The French did eventually come to Ship Island, but who wanted to keep them off?

Join Park Rangers on Sunday, Feb. 21 as they describe misconceptions, myths, and little known facts associated with colonizing the Gulf Coast. La Louisiana: Other Sides of d'Iberville's Story begins at 2 p.m. in the Visitor Center.

What was a sailor's lot during the time of exploration along the coast? These men were chess pieces in a centuries-long game for land and wealth among European kings. 1699-1999: Ship Island and the Mississippi Gulf Coast concludes its February schedule with a look at what it was like for sailors coming to the northern Gulf between the 1500s and 1700s.



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1. Begin
6. Home-grown
10. Kansas city
11. Parlance
12. Monastery
13. Selling
14. Bordered
15. Impatiently
18. Atomizers
21. Subordinate
25. Temporary
28. Type of nut
32. Footrest
33. Extremely exciting
34. Ancient Celtic tribe
35. Scandinavian nation
36. Compelled
37. Radon and Xenon

CLUES DOWN

1. Pivots
2. Ebbs and flows
3. Scoring in one shot
4. Island
5. Shyly
6. Moved slowly
7. Jangle
8. Work hard
9. Flirtatiously
16. Self
17. Mauna _____ Hawaiian volcano
19. Disparage
20. Playing card
- 22: Raising one's spirit
- 23: Caretakers
24. Acted
25. Watery discharge
26. Train
27. Monetary unit of Saudi Arabia
29. Warm beverage
30. Hebrew units of measure
31. Room

SOLUTIONS ACROSS

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18. Sprays
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To Be or Not to Be

Sonja Caplinger is shown announcing the upcoming spiritual development event entitled "To Be or Not to Be" to be held Feb. 20-21 in the Multi-purpose Building at Main Street United Methodist Church in Bay St. Louis. Rev. Jack Loflin, a retired United Methodist pastor and former program council director, will be the outside consultant, which will include discussions on the recent changes in thinking about leadership, preparation of leaders for the future, and providing leadership in long-range planning. The first session will be Saturday, Feb. 20, 9 a.m.-noon. Following a lunch provided by Main Street, a second session will be 1-3:30 p.m. Rev. Loflin will speak at both the 9 and 11 a.m. worship services. Following a brown bag lunch provided by Main Street, Rev. Loflin will lead a Sunday afternoon session geared toward youth; however everyone is invited. Main Street United Methodist Church is located 162 Main Street in Bay St. Louis. For information, contact the church at 467-4538.



Donation

Rick Keyser, headmaster of Cost Episcopal School, left, receives from the Rev. Chris Colby, rector of Trinity, a donation of \$18,000 at the school's annual meeting Feb. 1. The donation by the Fiddler Memorial Fund, will be used for scholarships and endowment funding.



Silver Tea

Mrs. Bronson Bryant, left, and Mrs. Richard Stewart, co-chairpersons of the St. Monica Guild of Trinity Church's "Valentine Silver Tea," Pass Christian, prepare for the annual tea, given by the ladies of St. Monica Guild of Trinity Episcopal Church, Pass Christian, 3-5 p.m. Friday, Feb. 12. The tea will be hosted in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Kimble, 629 East Scenic Drive, Pass Christian. The home is a charming Creole cottage of the 1840's which has been lovingly restored. The home contains antiques as well as traditional furnishings and reflects the owners' elegant taste. Visitors are welcome, and there is no admission charge. A donation at the door to St. Monica's Guild will be appreciated and used for its many charity projects.

Demonstrations of love

Yes, we are sinners. We violate standards of proper conduct by lying to our parents, cheating on exams, or stealing from employers by padding our expense account. We do not murder, but we often manifest anger. We may not commit adultery but lust fills our hearts. Christ steps into our shoes. He willingly takes the punishment we are due.

We may demonstrate our love to friends and family with an embrace. We participate in the love of God by embracing and trusting Christ.

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This week's clue: We equal B

Have fun with cryptography and exercise your Bible knowledge. A King James Version Bible verse has been encoded by letter substitution. The same letter is substituted throughout the puzzle. Solve by trial and error. Answer to last week's puzzle: Luke 2:32 (C) 1999 Charles Marx 99-6

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Experience can be a good teacher and may influence one's actions in the future. In addition, the way we behave in many situations may be due to past experiences. It is sometimes difficult to explain our experiences to a young person and then expect them to react appropriately. You may try to tell a child that something may be wrong or harmful to them, but because they have had no experience in certain situations, your words may fall on deaf ears. Likewise, people in good health may take their well-being for granted until they experience a serious health problem. As people grow older, they gain experience and knowledge. Our trusting in God, past experiences, and hope for the future are three factors that will help to ensure a fulfilling and happy life. Reading the Bible is a wonderful way to gain knowledge, wisdom, and experience, and it is full of advice and stories that are beneficial to our happiness.

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46 Home Improvement

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VIN #1FTEF14H2FPB46006
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These vehicles will be sold on or after February 22, 1999
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Lakeshore, MS 39558
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56 Services Offered

PERCY'S MARINE SERVICE, 903 Shipp St., Waveland, Ms. 467-8058.

58 Lawn & Garden

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73 Help Wanted

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81 Appliances

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83 Items For Sale

1940 CONS ORGAN, VERY GOOD condition. Needs on/off switch. Have original music sheets. \$500. 255-6182.

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1997 Ford Tnk
VIN #1FTDF17W9VKD34863
1991 Dodge
VIN #JB3XE74C9MY008507
1993 Chevy
VIN #2G1WL5477P1116984
1989 Oldsmobile
VIN #1G3AJ81R7KG349972
1986 Ford Tnk
VIN #1FTCF15Y7GNA72214
These vehicles will be sold on or after March 1, 1999
Road Runner Towing
10139 Hwy 603
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
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83 Items For Sale

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84 Furniture

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SOFA \$300; 60" PICKLED ENTERTAINMENT CENTER, \$250; Recliner, green leather \$250; 3 coffee tables \$50 for all. 255-4745 8:30-5:30 or 255-8195 after 5:30.

85 Building Materials

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90 Pets

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93 Yard Sale

DEADLINES FOR YARD, GARAGE SALES advertisements appearing in THURSDAY'S Editions of THE SEA COAST ECHO is 5 p.m. TUESDAYS.

EVERYDAY IS SALE DAY AT YOUR Bay St. Louis Goodwill Store, Bay Mall Shopping Center, Dunbar & Highway 90. Mon. thru Sat. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. 467-7277.

VENDORS WANTED: ABITA SPRINGS mobile town garage sale & flea market. 3/27/99. Call Joann, 504-893-7529.

96 Wanted To Buy

ANTIQUES, COLLECTIBLES, TOOLS, dolls, furniture. One place or house full. Call 467-2628 days.

PINE TIMBER WANTED: Call 466-6575.

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126 Campers/Motorhomes

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1994, 35' TRAVEL TRAILER, excellent condition, \$12,500. Call 255-1113.

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128 Boats & Motors

12 FT. FIBERGLASS SKIFF w/ galvanized trailer, 15 HP Mariner. Asking \$1,200. 255-9837.

1977 24' PROLINE W/235 V6 JOHNSON and '87 Shoreline trailer. Asking \$2,150. Call after 5pm. 467-1960.

128 Boats & Motors

23 FT COLUMBIA SLOOP SHOAL draft keel, 150% genoa, head, sleeps 4. Slip 14 Long Beach Harbor, \$2,800. Fran or Mike 467-4181.

136 Automobiles

1976 FORD RANGER XL, V-6, longbed, excellent mechanical condition: \$1,795 obo. 466-3852.

1989 TOYOTA COROLLA, 4 DOOR, automatic transmission, good condition, \$2,900. 467-1504.

1994 CHEVROLET CAMARO, D. GREEN, auto, all power, low miles, \$7,998, 0 down, \$189/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

1996 ECLIPSE, MAROON, SUNROOF, 51,000 miles. Call 452-9976.

1996 PLYMOUTH BREEZE, 4-DR, Red, auto, all-power, \$8,498, 0 down, \$189/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

1997 DODGE NEON, WHITE, AUTO, A/C, low miles, \$7,998, 0 down, \$169/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

1998 DODGE NEON, 4-DR, A/C, only 14K miles, \$8,998, 0 down, \$179/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

'83 CROWN VICTORIA, LOADED, \$750. '81 Olds SW, auto, \$700. 467-4688.

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VIN #1MU1551LLA59976
1979 Coachman Travel Trailer
Tan
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136 Automobiles

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138 Trucks, Vans

1993 JEEP WRANGLER, RED, A/C, hand-top, great shape, \$6,998, 0 down, \$189/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

1994 NISSAN P/U, BLACK, 4x4, only 40K miles, a/c, lift-kit, \$6,998, 0 down, \$169/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

1995 JEEP CHEOROKEE, 2-DR, RED, 6-cyl, like new, \$7,998, 0 down, \$189/mo. Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

1996 NISSAN CLUB-CAB PU, XE package, V-6, auto, all-power, matching camper, low miles, \$12,998, 0 down, Ask for Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

93 CHEVY S-10 PICK-UP, excellent condition. 255-6906.

NOTICE ABANDONED VEHICLES

The following vehicles will be sold 30 days after the first publication:
1987 GMC SAFARI VAN
TAG #ESX-590 (Harrison Co.)
VIN #1GKDM1523H501858
These vehicles will be sold on or after March 8, 1999
Charles Perniclaro Wrecker
Serv. & Auto Repair
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Golf Course Equipment Operator	Slot Supervisor
Golf Guest Services Attendant (PT)	Slot Technician
Heavy Porter	Slot Technician Manager
Hotel - Bellperson	Table Games Dealers (PT)
Maintenance Supervisor	Utility Porter

CAFE MAGIC - Kitchen Utility

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COMMUNITY

THE SEA COAST ECHO--SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1999--12B

Thirty-third annual Nereids parade rolls today

As the Nereids parade rolls today, Queen Doris XXXIII will share her reign with King Nereus XXXIII, Henry Martinez, President of G.M.&R. Construction Company.

A native of Havana, Cuba, Martinez settled in the United States in 1962 after his family fled Cuba following the revolution.

A graduate of Baton Rouge High, he studied at LSU before starting G.M.&R. which is located in Waveland. In 1987, G.M.&R. started doing commercial construction projects at the test site in Hancock County and at the Navy Base in Gulfport and is now active throughout the entire Mississippi Gulf Coast and South Louisiana.

Martinez, his wife Darlene "George," and their sons, Henry Jr., Peter, and Patrick moved to Waveland from Baton Rouge 10 years ago. "We were weekend visitors for

many years, and like so many others, we thought the Bay-Waveland area was the best place to live," he adds.

Martinez is a member of Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church and has served on the board of the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce and the Mississippi Association of Builders and Contractors. He has also served as Flag Officer for the Bay-Waveland Yacht Club and Commodore in 1996. He is currently serving on the board for the Gulf Coast Chapter of the Construction Specifications Institute.

When asked why he was motivated to accept the reign this year, Martinez responded, "I consider it such an honor to be chosen King of Nereids. It means I will be part of Carnival tradition forever. My best experience so far was the grande promenade on the ballroom floor. I heard all

the applause and cheers of the audience and in an instant I went from reality into a wonderful fantasy world."

Serving as dukes to his majesty are Messrs. Charles H. Johnson Jr., Russell Love, Jon W. Ritten, Todd Torguson, Cecil G. Woods, and Stephen F. Goscinski.

Royal pages to their majesties are Sean Patrick Bradford, son of Dr. and Mrs. William W. Bradford, Brett Baxter Brooks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Brooks, Page Kody Cannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Cannon, and Logan Christopher Dedeaux, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dedeaux.

In keeping with tradition, the identities of Queen Doris and her maids are never revealed.

The Krewe of Nereids continues 33 years of revelry today as the parade rolls through the Bay-Waveland area beginning at 1 p.m. The theme, "City Sounds," invites one and all to celebrate the richness and variety of city songs.



King Nereus XXXIII
Henry Martinez

Dukes to His Majesty King Nereus XXXIII



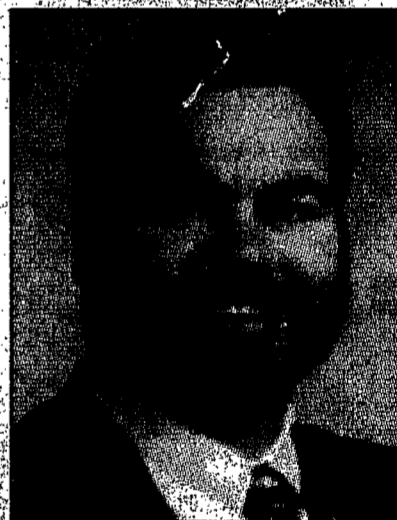
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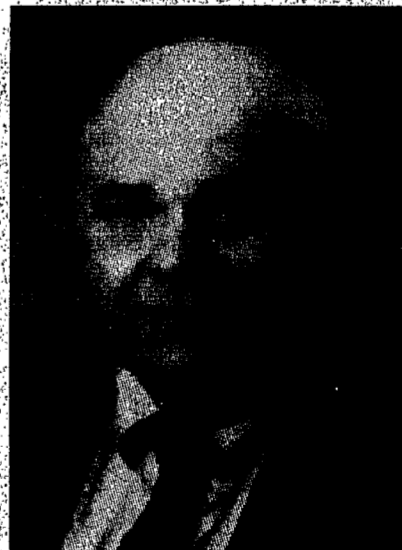
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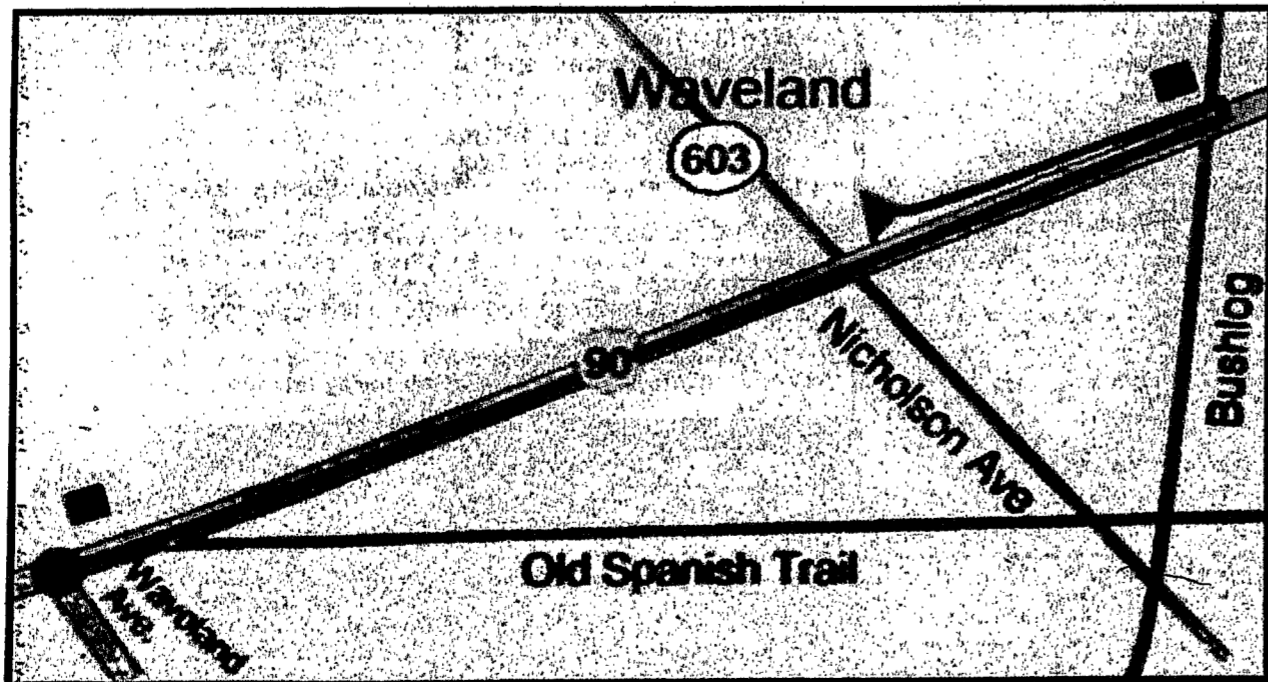
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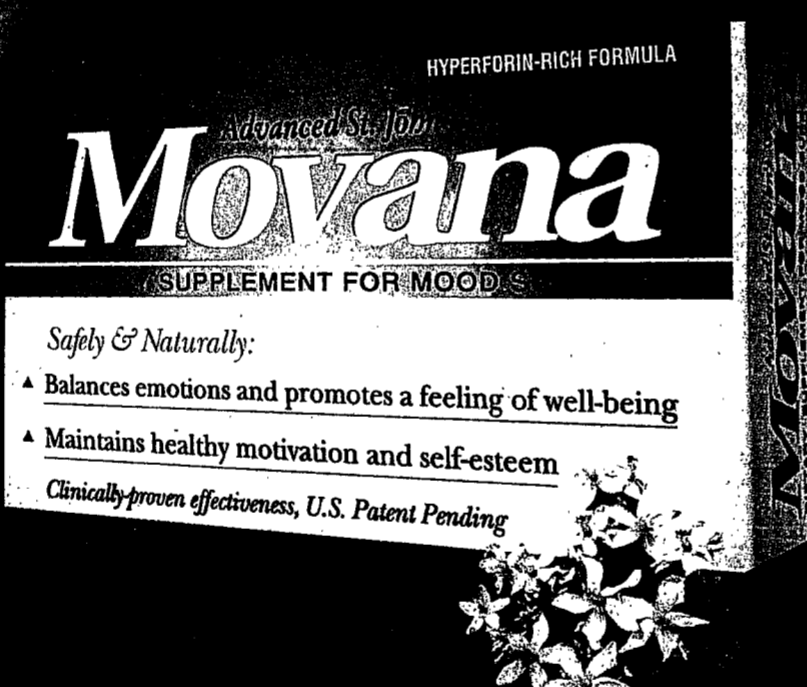
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2. **Contest Period:** The contest begins on 10/1/2013 and ends on 11/30/2013. All entries must be received by the sponsor by 11:59 PM Eastern Standard Time on 11/30/2013.

3. **Entry Method:** Entries must be submitted online at www.justaddprice.com/contest. Each entry must include a unique code generated by the sponsor's website. Entries submitted by email, fax, or other means will not be accepted.

4. **Prizes:** The grand prize is a \$10,000 cash prize. There are also 100 second prizes of \$1,000 each. All prizes are subject to availability. Prizes will be awarded by random drawing on 12/1/2013.

5. **Official Rules:** The official rules of the contest are posted on the sponsor's website. These rules govern the contest and are subject to change without notice.

6. **Winner Selection:** Winners will be selected by a random drawing conducted by a reputable third-party service. The sponsor reserves the right to void any entry that is found to be fraudulent or otherwise in violation of the official rules.

7. **Notification:** Winners will be notified by email and mail. It is the responsibility of the winner to provide a valid email address and mailing address for notification purposes.

8. **Claiming Prizes:** Winners must claim their prizes within 90 days of the notification date. Prizes that are not claimed within this time frame will be forfeited and the prize pool will be redistributed.

9. **Liability:** The sponsor is not responsible for any taxes or other legal obligations associated with the prizes. Winners are responsible for their own tax and legal responsibilities.

10. **Force Majeure:** The sponsor reserves the right to modify or terminate the contest at any time in the event of a force majeure event, such as a natural disaster or other unforeseen circumstance.

11. **Final Decision:** The sponsor's decision is final in all matters related to the contest. There will be no correspondence regarding contest results.

12. **Privacy Policy:** The sponsor's privacy policy applies to the collection and use of personal information provided by participants in the contest.

13. **Terms of Service:** By participating in the contest, participants agree to the terms and conditions of the sponsor's website and any applicable laws and regulations.

14. **Dispute Resolution:** Any disputes or legal actions arising from the contest will be resolved through arbitration in the state of California.

15. **Amendments:** The sponsor reserves the right to amend these official rules at any time without notice.

16. **Conclusion:** These official rules govern the Just Add Price Recipe Contest. Participants should read these rules carefully before entering the contest.

17. **Final Note:** The sponsor is not responsible for any damages, losses, or injuries resulting from participation in the contest.

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- In a medium bowl combine pecans, brown sugar, butter and 2 tbsp. maple syrup. Spoon over top of casserole.
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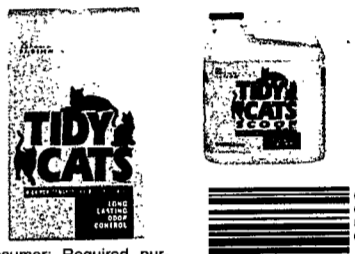
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